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WRONGED GIRL ACQUITTED OF POTTS' MURDER

Seventeen-Year-Old Emma Ripke Freed by Jury in Council Bluffs, Io.

WAS COMMON LAW WIFE

Indicted After Undertaker Had Found Wound in Alleged Betrayer's Body.

SLEW HIMSELF, SHE SAID

He Was College Graduate and Member of Prominent Philadelphia Family.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Io., Dec. 6.—The jury in the case of Emma Ripke, the 17-year-old Hanover (Kan.) girl, charged with the murder of Frank K. Potts on the night of Oct. 15 last, has returned a verdict of not guilty. The jury was out 30 minutes.

The case hinged on the question of whether Potts committed suicide or was shot by the girl, and the evidence introduced to show that Potts had frequently threatened to commit suicide apparently outweighed that of the prosecution.

Potts' body was turned over to an undertaker on the morning of Oct. 16, and while preparing it for burial he found a bullet hole over the heart. The authorities were notified and Miss Ripke was arrested in the apartments which she had been occupying.

The conflicting stories which the girl told after her arrest constituted the chief element in the chain of circumstantial evidence which was used by the prosecution. She said Potts had entered their rooms wounded; that he had shot himself after retiring; that she had heard a shot before his entrance into the rooms, and several other stories of conflicting nature.

In but one particular did she remain firm in her stories, which was to the effect that she was Potts' common-law wife. She said Potts had betrayed her; that he had repeatedly promised to marry her and had just as often delayed the marriage on one pretext or another.

Once Attempted Suicide.

Potts, who was from a prominent Philadelphia family and a graduate of the Pennsylvania State College, had admitted, so it was claimed, to several persons that he had hoped to rid himself of the girl and it was also claimed he had once attempted suicide on account of their troubles, the two having quarreled often.

Two days after her arrest Miss Ripke became firm in her attitude toward the officials and since then, maintained that Potts committed suicide. She explained her different stories told the day after the man's death, by stating she was frightened; that being a comparative stranger, she was alarmed, fearing to tell the truth. She thought she would at once be placed under suspicion and thought to hide the real facts by a story manufactured for the purpose.

For some time following the death of Potts no action was taken. The grand jury finally returned an indictment against Miss Ripke, a fact that occasioned some little surprise. She was not allowed her liberty, being unable to procure any bond.

BROKE JAIL FOR DRINK OF WATER

North Alton Man Had a Thirst and Went Home to Quench It.

Christopher Rain, aged 30, son of Postmaster Rain of North Alton, broke from the North Alton Jail early Wednesday morning to get a drink of water. For this, and for the original offense of disturbing the peace and resisting an officer and posse, Rain paid a $5 fine Wednesday. Justice Thornton, before whom the case was tried, considered that there were highly mitigating circumstances in the jailbreak.

North Alton's Jail is a single room in the basement of the City Hall. Its heating arrangements consist of a stove in the room, which the authorities load with coal for the night. Then they lock the door with a padlock and go home to bed.

Rain woke during the night very thirsty. He searched the Jail for water, but there was none. He thought with longing of the tinkle of the ice in the "chaser" the bartender had set before him.

Then he raised the window and shouted through the bars for someone to bring him water. ..o one answered. The town was asleep. Then Rain quietly took the poker the jailer had left beside the stove, pried out the staple in which the padlock was fastened and went home and got his drink of water. Marshal Calvey found him snugly sleeping when, after discovering the Jail delivery, he looked up his prisoner.

Justice Thornton Wednesday morning heard from the lips of the prosecutors the long list of offenses charged against Rain. "Have you anything to say?" he asked Rain.

"Only this, Your Honor," said Rain. "They didn't leave me a drop of water when they locked me up for the night. I broke out to get a drink of water."

The Justice cast a reproving eye at the Jailer and said sympathetically to Rain: "The Jail delivery is pardoned. The fine for the other offenses is $5."

Fire Alarm for Setting Sun.

Seeing the reflection of the setting sun in the west windows of Klausmann's brewery and the steam issuing from the roof of the building Policeman Kuhlman of the Carondelet District thought he had discovered a "disastrous conflagration" and turned in an alarm of fire. Then he saw his mistake, but already the fire engines and hose reels were flying down the street. Kuhlman tried to head off the firemen and later he was making profuse apologies to everybody.

10 ABOVE ZERO WEATHER DUE

Cold Wave Is Expected to Arrive Thursday Night.

A cold wave warning was sent out from the St. Louis Weather Bureau Thursday morning. The forecaster said that there will be a drop of from 25 to 30 degrees by Thursday night, when the temperature will go to 15 and possibly to 10 degrees above zero. At 9 a. m. Thursday it was 43 degrees above zero.

Thursday's forecast: "Fair and much colder with a cold wave Thursday night; Friday fair and cold; high northwest winds, diminishing Friday."

TRYING MARRIAGE AGAIN.

Divorced Pair Remarried, Wife Finding No Better Man.

The second honeymoon of William Wegner and his two-time wife, Mrs. Lucy Wegner, is in its first phase and shining brightly. Wegner is president of the American Wall Paper Co. at 618 Fourth street.

After three years of life apart he has again become a Benedict because the wife who got a divorce from him has decided that he is "a pretty good fellow, after all."

She has traveled around a bit since she was freed from the bonds which bound her to Wegner on Dec. 20, 1903, and she hasn't seen anyone that she liked better than her first love.

That was what she told her former husband when she went to his store and saw him for the first time in three years Tuesday afternoon.

"If that's the way you feel about it, we had better try it all over," said Wegner. And they did. They hurried to the marriage license office, arriving there just before it closed.

They were married the same night.

In her petition for a divorce, Mrs. Wegner said that her husband spent too much time away from home at night. He made no defense and the wife was granted the decree by default. They have no children.

THIS MAN IN A PICKLE.

Wants to Defend Policeman—Friend He Accuses.

Henry Altemeyer, a saloon keeper at 1201 Poplar street, sees his duty and intends to do it. He caused charges to be filed against Patrolman Anthony Heer after the policeman failed to liquidate a $250 loan of long standing, but he and his wife intend to appear before the Police Board as witnesses in the policeman's behalf.

Friendship, as well as a sense of duty, impels this, Altemeyer says. He told a Post-Dispatch reporter that Heer and Mrs. Altemeyer were children together and that he wouldn't like to see the policeman lose his job.

"He is a good friend of my wife, and I wouldn't want to see him get in trouble," said Altemeyer. "We will testify that he is a nice fellow, and ought not to be fired. If he is fired, how will I ever get my money back?"

Altemeyer grew impatient because Heer didn't make $10 monthly payments, with interest, on the debt, and showed the notes to the inspector of police. The charges against Heer, of conduct unbecoming an officer and failure to pay a just debt, resulted. Heer has never been under charges before.

WOMAN CALLED FOR JURY.

Her Appearance in Washington Revealed Mistake.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—A woman was subpenaed for jury service Wednesday for the first time in the history of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

"M. F. Scott," was the name on the subpena, a formidable looking document issued in the name of the President of the United States, and when Miss Scott presented herself for jury service the officials of the court were as greatly astonished as she had been when she received the summons. They waived her at once. The mistake occurred because of one of the bailiffs, in consulting the City Directory for names for jury service, found that of M. F. Scott, "manager." Miss Scott is a pretty young woman, although she is a manager, and will not again be called on by the United States to do jury duty.

SAVED BY YOUNG WOMAN.

Elderly Man Slipped and Fell in Front of Car.

A stout, elderly man, who slipped and fell Wednesday evening at Eighth and Pine streets, probably owes his life to Miss Sidonia E. Loehr of 2147 Geyer avenue. Miss Loehr prevented him from falling in front of a Bellefontaine car, and was herself knocked into the mud in doing so. She didn't suffer except for a bruised arm.

The man started across the slippery street just in front of the car, with Miss Loehr behind him. He lost his balance as he was crossing the track. Miss Loehr, with great presence of mind, sprang to his assistance and prevented him from falling in front of the car. Both went to the ground. The man wanted to give Miss Loehr his card, but she, embarrassed by the attention and applause of a small crowd that gathered, would not accept it.

Bustle Is Unsafe Purse.

Joseph Ferenbach of 1632 South Eighteenth street found, when he took his wife, Eliza Ferenbach, to the City Hospital for observation, that she had $265.35 he hadn't known anything about. The money was found in a chamios bag attached to a string about Mrs. Ferenbach's neck when she was put into hospital clothes. She said she had saved it out of money her husband gave her for household expenses. Formerly, Mrs. Ferenbach said, she hid her money in her bustle; but she lost $50 that way, and didn't consider it safe after that. The Ferrenbachs live three blocks from Engine Co. No. 7. Mrs. Ferenbach imagines constantly that she hears the clang of fire bells. She is 45 years old.

SAYS HUSBAND SHOT AT BABY WITH SELTZER

Mrs. H. E. Mangels Testifies He Made Target of Child's Eye.

PRACTICE FOR HUNTING

Complains That He Ate $8 Dinners in Chinatown and Talked Expenses.

LETTER FROM "MARTHA"

Wife Says Husband Called "Martha" Baby's Future Stepmother.

At the trial of Mrs. Elizabeth Mangels' divorce suit against Henry E. Mangels, in Judge Foster's court Thursday, the plaintiff testified that her husband shot the baby in the eye with seltzer and thought it was a good way to practice up for a hunting expedition that he wasp lanning, and that he thrust the baby's hands in hot coffee to keep it from reaching for things at the dinner table.

The baby is Percy Lewis Mangels, now 2 years old. The husband, in his crossbill, charged that the baby was named "Percy Lewis," in honor of Percy Lewis Horsfall, credit man for a downtown dry goods store, who is named by Mangels in his crossbill.

Mrs. Mangels told with much detail the story of her domestic unhappiness. She said her husband objected to her going with him to the door to bid him good-bye because he didn't want the neighbors to know that he had a "pokey" wife. She said that one of his drivers addressed insulting remarks to her about a parrot in a cage on the front porch.

"One night when the baby was crying he punched me in the back and remarked, 'Get up and attend to your kid,'" she testified. "He would only talk about business, race horses and money, and he was the greatest pouter I ever saw. Once he pouted for seven weeks.

$8 Dinners in Chinatown.

"Mr. and Mrs. Oberman once came to see us when we were living at 3428 Lawton avenue. Mr. Mangels was sitting with his feet propped up on the stove and paid no attention to the visitors. Whenever my relatives came to see us he would start a conversation about big grocery bills. I didn't think it was very becoming in him to make such complaints when he told me about eating $8 dinners in Cninatown, wherever that is.

"He frequently went out Sundays and did not return until Monday. He would then come to me with a 'big head' and ask for a headache powder. Once I found a letter in his pocket signed 'Martha.' I asked him who Martha was, and he replied that she going to be the baby's stepmother. We met Martha on the street one day and she called him 'sweetheart.' I asked him why he didn't tell her he was married, and he said he could not break her heart."

The letter was offered in evidence. It started, "My dear sweetheart," and told about complaints her relatives had made regarding Mangel's attentions to her, but she said that she would go out with him when she "darned pleased," and for him to call her up or drop her a note whenever he wished to make an appointment. Martha's address was given at 1617 Locust street.

Former Boarder at Trial.

Horfsfall, who was named by the husband, was seated in the courtroom listening to the proceedings. In his cross bill Mangels charged that his wife always went with Horsfall to the door wheen he started to work. She said she did this only when her husband wanted to borrow money from the lodger.

Mrs. Mangels testified that Horsfall was boarding at her home before she was married, and that at her husband's suggestion he went to live with them. She said the baby was named for Horsfall because it was born on his birthday, and she and her husband agreed to name it Percy Lewis before she went to have it christened.

The husband charged that when the baby was born Mrs. Mangels sent for Horsfall. She said she asked Horsfall to send for a physician, as she knew her husband wouldn't stand for it and that besides he was very busy at the Madison mces.

She said her husband never invited her to go out except one time, and then he wanted her to go with him to a burlesque theater. She denied that the baby was ever called Percy in her husband's presence, but admitted that it was called "Buster" part of the time.

BOY, AGED 9, HAS DELIRIUM TREMENS

Found Wandering in the Streets Near Blow School by a Policeman.

At the South Side Dispensary Thursday afternoon Dr. Albert E. Vogel treated Andrew Jackson Reese, 9 years old, of 110 Loughborough avenue for delirium tremens. Dr. Vogel said that never before during his long connection with the dispensary had he observed a case of delirium tremens in a boy of similar age.

The boy was taken to the Dispensary by Policeman Fitzgerald of the Carondelet Police Station, who found him wandering around the streets near the Blow School, which he attends, "fighting snakes."

After being pumped out the boy told Dr. Vogel that some strange man gave him a bottle of whisky and that he drank it all.

At the Dispensary the boy begged the physicians to drive the "snakes" away.

The police reported that the child had caused the truant officers considerable trouble recently because of his disinclination to attend school.

MRS. FANNIE EBERSON WHO GOT DIVORCE FROM PAINT DEALER WHO VISITED ANOTHER WOMAN



MRS. EBERSON FREED FROM MAN WHO CALLED ANOTHER WOMAN "PET"

Witnesses For Paint Dealer's Wife Testify of Her Husband's Frequent Visits to House on Grand Avenue, of Kisses on the Steps There and Sounds of Revelry at Night.

ALEXANDER A. EBERSON, paint merchant, 901 North Second street, who lives at the Washington Hotel, has been in the habit of spending his spare time at 1709 North Grand avenue and has been familiarly addressed as "Bud" there, according to testimony given in his wife's divorce suit, which was heard Wednesday afternoon in Judge Withrow's Court.

On the strength of this and other testimony Mrs. Eberson was given a decree and alimony of $5000 down and $150 a month.

Two witnesses told of the visits of Eberson to the house on North Grand avenue. William H. Schenck of 1705 North Grand avenue said he had seen Eberson at the house about twenty-five times. He was frequently there Sunday afternoon. The witness said he had overheard Eberson address one of the women at the house as "Pet," and had heard her address him as "Bud."

George W. McCormick of 1704 North Grand avenue said that he had seen Eberson visit the house sixty to seventy-five times in a year and a half. One day in July he saw Eberson get off of a car with a grip in his hand and go to the house. He was met on the steps by a woman and a boy. The boy took the grip and the man and woman "embraced and kissed," McCormick said.

Kissed Her on the Steps.

"The woman met him at the door and put her arms around him?" asked Mrs. Eberson's attorney, Selden P. Spencer.

"It was not at the door," said the witness. "It was right out on the steps."

Mr. McCormick said that sounds of revelry came from the house at night and that carriages and automobiles often stopped at the curb. Once an automobile stood there all night.

Mrs. I. Navra of the Washington Hotel, a cousin to both Mr. and Mrs. Eberson, told about Eberson getting his wife out of bed at the Carleton Hotel in London to "jolly along" three men with whom he had a business deal.

"Mrs. Eberson was in bed sick," said Mrs. Navra. "I was staying with her in her room. A rap came at the door. I opened it. Mr. Eberson was there. He had three men with him. He said, 'What! Is Fan in bed? Well, she'll have to get up. I've got a business deal on with these men and I want her to jolly them along and help me out.'"

"I assisted Mrs. Eberson to dress in my room and we were then introduced to the three men in Mrs. Eberson's bedroom. One of the men was 68 or 69 years old. He said he had never been across the water. Mr. Eberson said to his wife, 'What's the matter with us taking him along when we go back?' Mrs. Eberson said, 'Well, the ship is large; I would be glad to have you accompany us.'

Plached Wife's Arm.

We were invited out and I said to Mrs. Eberson we had better go, so as to get Mrs. Eberson home. We went to the bathroom, adjoining the apartments, to wash our hands. Mr. Eberson came in and said to his wife: 'What do you mean by inviting a man to cross the water with you?' He gripped her arm so tightly that the marks of his fingers were there for four days. I pushed him from the room.

"The elderly gentleman said: 'Ladies, if I have been the cause of this disturbance, I beg your pardon. Good evening.'

"The next morning I said to Mr. Eberson: 'Do you know what you did to your wife last night? You struck her.'

"'Oh, I am sick and tired of her anyway,' he said, 'and she can go where she pleases.'"

Mrs. Eberson wanted to tell more things on Eberson than her attorney thought was necessary. She kept her right foot going like a pendulum and seemed a bit disappointed that Eberson was not there to hear what she had to say.

She said they had separated three times. While they were apart the first time she was sick and by mistake she swallowed some carbolic acid. Word was taken to Eberson that she was dying, and he rushed to her bedside. She would have gone into details about the reconciliation, but was dissuaded.

"He never ate Sunday dinner at home," said she. "He told me that he ate at the Missouri Athletic Club, but I telephoned down there and found that he did not eat there. He very seldom ate Sunday supper at home, either. I said to him: 'How strange! You neither eat dinner nor supper. How do you exist?'

Delayed by "Business Deals."

"Through the week it was much the same. He was seldom home in the evening. About 8 o'clock he would call up and say he had a business deal to put through by which he expected to make $50,000. I would ask, 'Where are you?' and up would go the receiver."

Asked to tell the circumstances of the last separation, Mrs. Eberson said:

"He had been coming home at all hours of the night. The morning of May 26 he got in about 3 in the morning. I asked him where he had been and told him I thought his wife had a right to know. He said: 'For 2 cents I would take you by the back of the neck and throw you out of the window.'

"To tell you the truth, Judge, I was scared to death of him. He had such a violent temper. I determined that I would not stand it any longer. I debated what I should do. Should I go down to the hotel office then and make a scene? No, I would not do that. I lay on a hard plush sofa until morning and then went down and engaged another room."

Eberson did not contest the suit, although he had filed an answer and it was expected that he would do so. He was not in court. His attorney, S. T. G. Smith, was there, but he did not cross-examine the witnesses. He joined in a statement by Judge Spencer to Judge Withrow that alimony had been agreed on and when the decree was granted handed Judge Spencer a check for $5000.

SAY TEACHER HELD GIRLS ON HIS LAP

East St. Louis Man Is Sued for Tuition of His Two Daughters.

NOT ALLOWED TO ATTEND

His Defense Is That Conduct of Principal Mitchell Was Improper.

J. G. W. Rudesill, a prominent politician of East St. Louis, has been sued by J. M. Mitchell, formerly president of the College of Commerce, for $100 he claims as the balance due on the tuition of Mr. Rudesill's daughters. The suit is on trial before Judge Moyers in East St. Louis.

The defense to the suit is that the girls did not attend the school, being taken out by the father after they told him of occurrences at the institution.

The girls are Nellie, 16 years old, and Maude, 20. They testified that Mitchell chased them and other girls around the school room during noon hour, would force them to sit upon his knee and subject them to humiliation.

Mitchell, who is 70 years old, was principal of the College of Commerce, a business school, until a short time ago. In September, 1901, Rudesill agreed to send his two daughters, then 11 and 15 years old, to the College of Commerce for a period of one year and signed a contract with Mitchell. A special inducement was offered Rudesill, according to the testimony Thursday, and the tuition was to be $150 for the two for one year. The regular fee was $200 for the two.

Rudesill paid Mitchell $50 and gave him his note for the remaining $100.

After the Rudesill girls had attended the school for five months, they told their father what had happened at the school and he at once refused to let them return to the college. Mitchell, who resigned from the principalship of the college some time ago, filed suit against Rudesill for the amount due on the note.

The testimony of the Rudesill girls was corroborated by other witnesses. Mitchell introduced several young women who testified that they had received their business educations at his school and are now holding lucrative positions.

Rudesill is a well-known citizen of East St. Louis and was until recently president of the Board of Education. He lives at 3134 Bond avenue in Alta Sita.

HE HELPED BEAUTY DOCTOR.

He Did It With Bank's Funds, Must Go to Prison.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Hagbart Gregerson, formerly exchange teller of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, of which Paul O. Stensland was president, today pleaded guilty to embezzlement of the funds of the bank and was given an indeterminate sentence in the Penitentiary.

Gregerson is the third official of the bank to be sent to prison. He said in court today that he had taken the money for the purpose of helping a young woman build up a business as "a beauty doctor."

EYE WITNESS TELLS HOW MRS. BIRDSONG SLEW FAMILY DOCTOR

Mississippian Testifies Senator McLaurin's Niece Followed Dr. Butler From His Office in Monticello and Fired Twice as He Was About to Fall.

KILLED HIM AS SNAKE, WOMAN TELLS FRIENDS

Doctor Ruined Her Reputation, She Says, and She Had Nothing Else to Live For—Jurors Avow Sympathy for Woman, but Promise a Fair Verdict.

HAZELHURST, Miss., Dec. 6.—W. W. Williams of Monticello was the first witness at the trial of Mrs. Angie Birdsong, niece of United States Senator McLaurin, charged with the murder of Thomas Butler, the Birdsongs' family physician, at Monticello. Williams was an eye witness and told a detailed story of the tragedy when he took the witness stand this morning.

Questioned by Attorney McNair for the State, Williams testified that he was seated on a pile of bricks in front of Dr. Butler's office on the morning of the shooting, Nov. 25, 1905. He saw Mrs. Birdsong on the street, but did not notice her enter the physician's office.

Williams testified that he heard two revolver shots, evidently fired in Dr. Butler's office. The physician appeared in the door, holding his hands to his breast as though he had been wounded. Mrs. Birdsong followed him from the office, Williams testified. Dr. Butler stooped and seemed about to fall, when another shot was fired. Williams sprang up, but before he could interfere Mrs. Birdsong, he swore, deliberately fired two more shots at the physician. Dr. Butler fell to the ground, gasping. He expired without making a statement.

Williams testified that someone in the crowd, which gathered after the shooting, shouted: "There comes Dr. Birdson," the woman's husband. The witness said Dr. Birdsong was armed.

The witness said the tragedy occurred about 10 a. m. Before the physician appeared in the door the witness heard an exclamation which sounded like, "Oh, Lord!" but he was unable to say whether it was the voice of a man or a woman.

The strongest array of legal talent ever gathered for a trial in Mississippi was in court when the case was called this morning. Ex.-Gov. Longino, uncle of the slain physician, is in reality directing the prosecution, although District Attorney Greaves is technically in charge. United States Senator McLaurin, uncle of the woman on trial, is in charge of the defense.

The arrival from Jackson of Dr. J. R. Miller led to the belief last night that the defense would plead insanity, but it was stated this morning that this was not the intention of the accused woman. Mrs. Birdsong has pleaded all along that she killed Dr. Butler in defense of her honor.

"Of course, I killed him," Mrs. Birdsong has told the friends who have gathered for the trial. "I killed him as I would a snake. He ruined my reputation and what else have I to live for?"

G. Wood Magee, State Senator, the original counsel for the Birdsongs, is here, as well as many of the most prominent persons of Mississippi, all related to the slain physician's family and that of the accused woman. The defendant is attended at the trial by her husband and two small children. Near her sits the widow of Dr. Butler, her children and relatives from this and other states.

Jurors Avowed Sympathy.

A venire of 100 men had been summoned for jury service and these were exhausted yesterday. More were called hastily, however, and the last of the 12 men was selected at 6 o'clock last evening. The jurors are all farmers of Copiah county. They are: Carl Bailey, W. H. Newman, Sid Roth, Henry D. Barksdale, J. P. Phillips, J. J. Cagle, S. M. Keene, F. M. Collins, M. W. Hennington, Dillard Wade, G. N. Bishop and W. A. Smith.

They declare they had little knowledge of the case, and, though they admitted they felt sympathy for a woman on trial for murder, they vowed this would not affect their verdict. R. N. Miller, who is assisting Senator McLaurin in defending his niece, was emphatic in declaring that it was improper to require a juror to declare that he would treat a woman as he would a man, but he did not object to the statement that the jurors would not let this prevent them from giving the State a fair trial.

Children in Courtroom.

The two little children of Mrs. Birdsong, who is barely 20 years old, were grouped about her in the courtroom yesterday. By her side sat Dr. James Birdsong, her husband, whose trial on an indictment charging complicity in the Butler killing, depends on the outcome in the present case. Mrs. Bettie Butler, widow of Dr. Butler, with her four small children, sat within 10 feet of Mrs. Birdsong. Mrs. Butler was surrounded by counsel for the prosecution, which includes ex-Gov. Longino, an uncle of the slain man.

When the jury had been completed, Mrs. Birdsong asked her uncle, Senator McLaurin: "What do you think of the jury and what do you think of my chances?"

"The jury is a good one and will give you a fair trial," replied the Senator.

The defendant addressed the same question to another uncle, A. Q. May, former State Treasurer, and he replied that the 12 men certainly would give her justice.

One hundred witnesses are to be examined and the case is expected to go into next week.

Mrs. Birdsong is a close relative of Judge Chrisman, one of the best-known lawyers of the State, and R. L. Dent, attorney for the Gulf & Ship Island Railway. Her mother died when she was a child. Her father, Maj. Fox of Lawrence County, is attending the trial. Dr. Birdsong's brother is a dentist here and is an officer in the State Guard. He was an officer in the Spanish-American War.

Many relatives of Dr. Butler have come here for the hearing. Among them is the slain doctor's brother, C. B. Butler, D. D., Ph. D., of the Woman's College at Bryan, Tex.

WOMAN BLAMED FOR FIRE HORROR

Owner of the Salvation Army Barracks Named by Coroner's Verdict.

DID NOT OBEY THE LAW

List of Other Buildings Without Fire Escapes Prepared by Police.

A verdict of criminal negligence was Thursday returned by the Coroner's jury against Mrs. Laura Hilton, who, according to the city records, is the owner of the building in which occurred the Salvation Army Barracks fire. This verdict was at the inquest over the body of Tom Walsh, the thirteenth victim, who died at the City Hospital.

The verdict follows: "We, the jury, find that the owner of the aforesaid building, Mrs. Laura R. Hilton, failed to comply with the State law and city ordinances relating to outside fire escapes and the general condition of the building rendered it unfit for the purpose for which it was used. Verdict, criminal carelessness."

According to Building Commissioner Smith, Fred Beehlen, a manufacturer of fire escapes, visited him Thursday and told the Commissioner that Mr. Hilton, husband of Laura R. Hilton, had declined to put fire escapes on the building a year ago.

"Beehlen told me," said Commissioner Smith, "that Hilton had asked him to make a bid for furnishing a fire escape for the building occupied by the Salvation Army as a barracks. Beehlen says he forwarded the bid and called afterwards on Hilton to see if he would make a contract.

"'We have decided not to put up a fire escape,' Hilton is said to have informed Beehlen."

The Building Commissioner says he notified Hilton twice by mail to furnish fire escapes. One letter was sent May 5, 1905, to Hilton's postoffice box and the second was sent April 13, care of his son, Warren Hilton, in the Wainwright Building.

In response to a request of Building Commissioner Smith that Chief Creecy ask the police to furnish him a list of buildings in the city unprovided with fire escapes, Central District officers have found the following three-story structures which have failed to comply with the law:

224 South Second street, rooming house conducted by Mathias Heffle.

208 South Second street, lodging house conducted by David Hess.

211 South Second street, hotel; Florence Bowvins.

202 South Second street, tenement; renter, Anthony Schachinzer.

206 South Second street, Chris Becker.

216 South Second street, Lizzie Balwid.

222 South Second street, lodging house conducted by Valentine Luben.

210 South Second street, occupied by Nicholas Poffranzer.

112 Elm street, occupied by Jacob Spell.

The list will be presented to Commissioner Smith, who will take up the alleged violations through the proper channels.

Insurgent Leader Slain.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Senor Joubert, the Dominican Minister, has received a dispatch from his Government stating that a party of Progresista leaders who had gathered at Puerto Plata, and who were on their way to Labiga, were attacked by the Government forces. Perico La Salle was killed and the balance of the party have been arrested.

TILLES DAMAGE SUIT COMMENCED

Plaintiff's Petition Amended, but Word Inserted Is Later Withdrawn.

Following the selection of a jury, the trial of the damage suit of C. A. Tilles of the firm of Cella, Adler & Tilles against the Post-Dispatch was begun before Circuit Judge Barnett at St. Charles Thursday morning. The plaintiff is seeking $150,000 damages from the Post-Dispatch as the result of an interview with Attorney-General Hadley published by this paper in reference to gambling at the Delmar racetrack.

Mr. Hadley asserted that the "owners of the racetrack are equally liable with the bookmakers," after he had been informed that bets were being made at the Delmar racetrack in violation of the new anti-bookmaking law. Mr. Tilles pleads that the word "owners" referred to himself and Messrs. Cella and Adler, although the Delmar Jockey Club is a corporation.

Before the case was reached on the docket late Wednesday afternoon, Henry W. Bond, former Judge of the St. Louis Court of Appeals, filed an amendment to the plaintiff's petition. Preceding the word owners Judge Bond inserted the qualifying word "reputed," so as to make his complaint read that Tilles was one of the reputed owners of the track and was thus singled out by the Attorney-General through the Post-Dispatch.

Messrs. Judson and Green, acting for the Post-Dispatch, objected to the amendment, holding that it raised an entirely new issue in the case. If it was permitted to stand, Mr. Judson said that he would ask for a continuance. Judge Bond refused to strike out the amendment. The defense thereupon filed an affidavit setting forth the reasons why a continuance should be granted.

Judge Barnett decided to allow a continuance, following the arguments of counsel, whereupon Judge Bond consented to strike out the word reputed and allow the case to go to trial on the original pleading.

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...und Man in Their Room.

...lie and Blanche O'Donnell of 1811 ... street awoke to find a man in ... room early Thursday morning. ... their screams alarmed the neighborhood and the man fled. Later Robert Murphy, one of the roomers in the house, was arrested. The Misses O'Donnell identified him. He admitted that he had forced the door of the room open, saying that he thought his wife was hiding in there.

St. Paul's Church Bazar.

The annual Christmas bazar of the King's Daughters of the St. Paul's Lutheran Church will be held Friday and Saturday at the May Co.'s restaurant. All sorts of fancy articles, including dressed dolls, aprons and home-made candies, will be sold for the benefit of the church.

Roosevelt Third Term League.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The Roosevelt Third-Term National League has been formed in Chicago and an application for a charter, made at Springfield. Edward A. Horner, formerly of Leadville, Colo., is the organizer and president of the league. The national headquarters will be in Chicago. Clubs will be organized in every county and city in the United States.

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Get a new, pure, sweet breath, freshen your stomach for your next meal, and keep the intestines in good working order. These two things are the secret of good health and long life. You can get all the charcoal necessary to do these wonderful but simple things by getting Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges. We want you to test these little wonder workers yourself before you buy them. So send us your full name and address for a free sample of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges. Then after you have tried the sample, and been convinced, go to your druggist and get a 25c box of them. You'll feel better all over, more comfortable, and "cleaner" inside.

Send us your name and address today and we will at once send you by mail a sample package, free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 60 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

GILLETTE TOLD LAWYER HE HIT GIRL IN WATER

Sheriff and Turnkey Said to Have Overheard His Confession in Cell.

"NO," ANSWER TO WARD

Prosecutor Feared Trial Reversal if He Tried to Prove Youth Lied.

GILLETTE TO HEAR SENTENCE MONDAY.

HERKIMER, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Chester E. Gillette was not sentenced today. At the appointed hour he was taken into court, but his counsel had been unable to prepare, in the brief time at their disposal, for a motion for a new trial, which they desire to enter before sentence is passed.

The Court, on this showing, postponed proceedings to next Monday. District Attorney Ward made no objection.

"But I want it understood," he added, "that there will not be another postponement."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HERKIMER, N. Y., Dec. 6.—When Chester E. Gillette, the convicted slayer of "Billy" Brown, his cast-off sweetheart, told on the witness stand his pitifully weak story of how the little factory girl had jumped into Big Moose Lake and committed suicide, there were six men in the courtroom who knew as well as he did that he was lying.

They knew that two days before he had confessed to former State Senator Albert M. Mills, his junior counsel, that he had struck the girl in the water; that "Billy" Brown rose to the surface once after she went overboard, and that the man for whom she had sacrificed honor and faith and beauty leaned over the side of the boat and dealt her a blow which stilled her forever.

It was this confession which was in District Attorney Ward's mind when he demanded of Gillette in so many words to repeat what he had said in his cell. "Did you not confess night before last," was Ward's question, "that you struck Grace Brown when she came up beside the boat?" Gillette answered that he had not, and in the dramatic hours that followed sight was lost of that interrogation.

Ward could have proved by Sheriff Richard, and Evans, a turnkey, that Gillette lied, but to have put them on the witness stand would have been to make a reversal of the trial by the Court of Appeals absolutely certain. Justice Devendorf would not permit them to swear to any conversation they had overheard between Mills and Gillette.

Said to Have Told of Blow.

It was on that Monday night that Mills, after having been sleepless for nearly a week, decided that Gillette's position could not be worse if he let the defendant go on the witness stand. The old attorney had not reached this decision without a struggle with his professional conscience.

As the story is told in Herkimer, Mills, upon entering Gillette's cell, informed the prisoner that he would have to take the witness stand in his own defense. He asked him to go over again the different events of the fatal day. Gillette did this, but when he got to the point where he had insisted on all previous occasions that the girl had leaped to death, he told about striking her as she rose beside the boat.

"You little wretch," Mills is said to have shouted. "Why didn't you ever tell me this before?"

Gillette was silent.

When the trial was resumed the following morning it was observed and remarked by many that there was an apparent coolness between Gillette and his lawyers, Mills and Charles D. Thomas. They did not sit near him, and during the days which came after they hardly spoke to him. Few suspected what lay behind this undoubted aversion of the two attorneys for the man whose life they were fighting to save from the electric chair.

It is understood that Gillette's lawyers would not have made a move to save Gillette from life imprisonment if he had been found guilty of murder in the second degree, but with the electric chair ahead of him his relatives are said to have been aroused by the taint it would put upon the family, and have agreed to come to his aid financially.

Gillette's parents are also determined to do what lies in their poor means to do to obtain another trial. His mother has telegraphed him and his attorney to proceed forthwith. In the telegram to Gillette, his mother said:

"God has been good to you. Trust in him. Read the Twenty-fourth Psalm."

The authorities have received a suggestion that if they were to dig into Gillette's life in the West they might find that this was not the first time he had known the inside of a cell. A letter from his brother in an accusing tone a short time ago made a vague reference to a great wrong he had done one of his uncles.

Gillette got the Sheriff to peddle the rogues' gallery picture of himself, and with the $40 that was netted he purchased the new suit in which he was clothed when he went on the witness stand a week ago today.

Jury Visits Gillette.

In the excitement attendant upon the receipt of the verdict court was adjourned with the jury undischarged. So the 12 men had to go to the Courthouse and be dismissed from further service yesterday. When this formality had taken place the jury visited Gillette in Jail.

Under Sheriff Klock extended the invitation. The jury filed through the corridor of the tier on which Gillette's cell is placed. Some of them passed the cell without looking in. But there were others who not only paused and stared, but who asked Gillette if he had spent a good night. When some of the jurors spoke to him and asked him how he felt he said "Fine."

PURSUES MAN SHE TRIED TO DIVORCE

Mrs. Melissa Ford Upbraids Husband for Talking to Woman She Accused.

SCENE AT FOUR COURTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Holverson Were There to Testify in Suit.

Mrs. Melissa Ford of 2165 Franklin avenue, who was denied a divorce from William E. Ford of 1725 Morgan street by Judge Douglas Thursday, chased her husband from the corridor of the Four Courts because she saw him talking to a woman who was named in her divorce suit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford, who have been separated for several months, were called to the Four Courts by an appeal of a fine of $100 against Ford imposed in the Dayton Street Police Court for using abusive language to his wife and disturbing the peace. Mrs. Mary Holverson of Twenty-third street and Franklin avenue was a witness.

Ford and Mrs. Holverson were talking in the corridor as Mrs. Ford entered and saw them together. Mrs. Ford started toward them. They parted, Mrs. Holverson going to the office of Ford's attorney, Norman Sadler, as Ford darted out of the front door, his wife in pursuit.

"You will send letters to me and try to make up, will you," shouted Mrs. Ford, shaking her finger in her husband's face. Ford kept backing towards Twelfth street and sought to calm the woman.

Calls Making Up "Bash."

"I didn't get the divorce yesterday," continued Mrs. Ford, "and here I find you with Mrs. Holverson again. Talk to me about wanting to make up Bosh."

Unable to appease her, Ford hastened away, while Mrs. Ford returned to the Four Courts. The appeal case in the Court of Criminal Correction was continued.

Mrs. Ford's divorce suit was dismissed Wednesday. Mrs. Ford said her husband used bad language and she had to support him. She said he flirted with Mrs. Holverson.

She said they had a common law marriage in New Jersey before they were married by ceremony at Clayton. She explained that she assented to a common law marriage, because she had been told that Ford wanted her for her money and she thought that she would retain control of her property more completely.

Ford denied all his wife's allegations. He declared that Mrs. Holverson was only a friend. He said other women carried tales to his wife and if they were let alone, they would be reconciled.

Ford Says He Was Shot At.

Wednesday night, Ford says, he narrowly escaped being shot by a woman. "I was walking on North Twenty-second street, between Franklin avenue and Wash street," he said, "when a woman stepped from behind a building at an alley and shot at me. The bullet went wide and before she could shoot again, I ran away.

"After I got home, I wrote an affectionate letter to my wife, I told her I wanted to live with her again.

"This morning my appeal case came up in the Court of Criminal Correction. Mrs. Ford, after our separation, tried to take my automobile away from me. She said she bought it, but that is not so. Mrs. Holverson notified me that two men were assisting her to take the auto away and I interfered. My wife and I were both arrested and I was fined.

"Mrs. Holverson was a witness. Our meeting was connected with the suit."

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Horse Dealer Missing.

Mrs. Genevieve Bruemlebe of 2239 Gravois avenue requested the police Thursday to assist her in finding her husband, Joseph, a horsetrader, who left home at 10 a. m. Tuesday to close up several deals and has not since returned. Mrs. Bruemlebe, from her investigation, finds that he collected several hundred dollars during the day, and she fears that he has been robbed. She learned that he visited the Lafayette Bank, where he has a large deposit, about 1 p. m. Tuesday in company with a strange young man. After looking around in the bank for a moment he turned and walked out with the stranger. Mrs. Bruemlebe found that later in the day he visited the Moser box factory and collected $100 for a horse that he had sold.

FOLK WOULD STOP ALL RACING BETS

Will Advise Changes in Anti-Bookmaking Law in Line With Court's Opinion.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 6.—Gov. Folk said this morning that he would recommend in his message to the Legislature, the passage of amendments to the Anti-Bookmaking statute, prohibiting the telephoning or telegraphing of bets on horse races, to points either within or without the State, and also an amendment prohibiting betting on horse races.

The Governor has read the opinion of the Supreme Court, which held that the law against bookmaking was not violated, when bets were telephoned into another State, and then back into this State for payment.

There is no section of the statute at present prohibiting betting on horse races. The law passed by the last Legislature was aimed at bookmaking and not at the private betting about a race track. The Governor now believes a law prohibiting betting will give one more safeguard.

By an amendment prohibiting the telephoning or telegraphing of bets, he believes the defect found by the Supreme Court in the present law will be remedied. The principal trouble with the present statute, according to the Supreme Court, is that it provides that a device or instrument for recording bets, shall not be set up. The court held that a telephone was not such instrument, or device within the meaning of the statute.

Attorney-General Hadley will, within a few days, it is understood, file a motion in the Supreme Court for a rehearing of the Oldham case, decided against the State Tuesday.

Boy Falls Down Shaft.

Frank Eagon, 13 years old, who lives with his mother at 2237 Howard street, Thursday fell down the elevator shaft of the Vinsonhaler Shoe Co., at 420 North Ninth street, from the first floor to the basement, a distance of 20 feet. His left wrist was fractured, his left eye lacerated and at the City Hospital physicians say internal injuries are feared. He is expected to recover.

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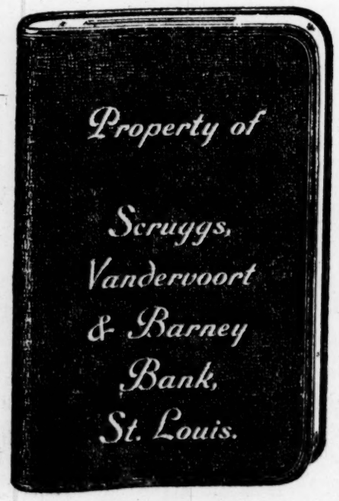
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FACTORIES BURN AFTER EXPLOSION

Nine Persons Injured When Shoe Concern's Boilers Blow Up in Lynn, Mass.

LYNN, Mass., Dec. 6.—The boiler of the P. J. Harney Shoe Manufacturing Co. of this city blew up today, and at least 12 people are reported injured.

The explosion, besides shattering the big 4-story factory of the Harney company, wrecked several buildings nearby in the crowded manufacturing district. Fires immediately broke out.

A heavy south wind was blowing, driving the flames with incredible rapidity until within a brief space the flames were far beyond the control of the local fire department, and help was called from Boston. In an hour's time two acres in the West Lynn district had been burned over, ruining the premises of more than half a dozen large business firms, mostly shoe manufacturers, and destroying 12 buildings on Charles street, principally occupied by colored people.

The explosion occurred just before 7 o'clock as the factory operatives were assembling for their day's work.

Doctors and ambulances were hurried to the scene from all parts of the city, but with so wide a territory so suddenly stricken the work of aiding and collecting the wounded and hunting for possible dead was necessarily hampered.

The first firms whose property was burned or wrecked by the explosion were: P. J. Harney Shoe Co., Tufts & Friedman Shoe Co., H. P. Hood Creamery, Boston & Maine West Lynn Railroad Station, Jacobs Leather Stock Co., H. J. Worthley Shoe Co. and twelve dwellings.

The force of the explosion burst the four machinery-loaded floors of the Harney factory and lifted the roof. The wreckage spread outward, shattering the walls of nearby structures and aiding the spread of the flames, despite the heavy snow and sleet storm that had started early in the day.

In a brief space of time the West Lynn Station of the Boston & Maine railroad was on fire. Unchecked by the wide gap occupied by the railroad tracks, the flames reached structures on the other side, licking up first the leather stock factory of the Jacobs Co., and then sweeping through the district covered by small wooden tenements.

At 9 o'clock the police reported that apparently no persons had been killed. Nine injured persons had been taken to the hospital up to that time. Three of these were but slightly hurt and an examination seemed to indicate that the other six were not fatally hurt.

By 9 o'clock the police thought that the fire was under control in the district in the vicinity of Alley and West streets. The financial loss will be about $450,000.

HAND CRUSHES MAN'S LEG EONE

Joseph Vovelwide Resists Effort to Move Him in Bowling Alley.

Joseph Vovelwide, a butcher weighing 200 pounds, started across the bowling alley at West St. Louis Turner Hall Tuesday evening amid a ripple of laughter. He was moving toward the section reserved for women, and the rules of the club giving th... evening forbid me...

In compliance ... members of the ... to intercept Vov... was Henry Zieng... Vovelwide laughi... forts to take hi... section, and, lea... Zieng's right leg ... both hands.

Zieng sank to t... He was put on a ... was found that t... that right knee w... taken home.

Andrews on "Socialism."

Chancellor Andrews of the Nebraska University will speak Thursday night at Memorial Hall, Nineteenth and Locust streets, under the auspices of the Washington University Association. His subject will be "Socialism."



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High-Grade Suits and Gowns for Women

High-Grade Suits and Coats for Misses

THE price reductions made and shown below, have no parallel when one considers the newness and elegance of the garments to be sold. The selling will start Friday morning and the woman who has been looking with longing eyes at some one of these new and fashionable garments will be wise to be early. There are many styles of Tailor-Made Suits, but not all sizes. The latter is an added reason for early attendance. In the dinner Gowns there is only one of a style.

About 100 Beautiful Gowns (no two alike), Materials: Crepe de Chine, Net, Lace, Voile, Chiffon, Radium Silks and Embroidered Batiste, Princess and Two-Piece Style. Every Color a Wanted Color for Street or Evening Wear—Note the Reductions:

$65 Gowns reduced to **17.50** | $70 Gowns reduced to **18.50** | $80 Gowns reduced to **35.00** | $100 Gowns reduced to **40.00** | $125 Gowns reduced to **50.00** | $130 Gowns reduced to **65.00**

Some 75 Tailor-Made Suits of Broadcloths, Mixtures, Cheviots, etc., $35.00, $37.50, $40.00, $45.00 and $50.00 Suits—All down to one price, $17.50

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$20.00 Suits reduced to	$ 5.00	$12.50 Coats reduced to	$2.98	$10.00 Coats reduced to	$2.98
$30.00 Suits reduced to	$10.00	$20.00 Coats reduced to	$5.00	$12.50 Coats reduced to	$5.00
$35.00 Suits reduced to	$15.00	$30.00 Coats reduced to	$7.50	$12.50 Coats reduced to	$7.50
$45.00 Suits reduced to	$20.00				

An Unusual Sale Women's

White Lingerie Waists

Most of them Nearly Half Price

AN unusual sale for many reasons. It is unusual to find as good an assortment of pretty Lingerie effects at this time of year. It is unusual to offer such Waists now, but all women are wearing them, and they will be worn all winter. It is most unusual, however, from the price standpoint. Such attractive Waists were never priced lower.

100 Dozen—All Told and they consist of sheer Batiste, Lawn and Mull; all very prettily trimmed with laces and embroidery and fine tucking. The woman who comes early will find the assortment of sizes quite complete.

$1.25 values for	75c	$4.00 values for	$2.25
$1.65 values for	95c	$4.50 values for	$2.50
$2.00 values for	$1.25	$6.75 values for	$3.50
$2.50 values for	$1.50	$8.50 values for	$4.75
$3.50 values for	$1.95	$9.00 values for	$4.95

French Hand-Made Hand-Embroidered Blouses

Here also the reductions will create surprise, as they are fully 25 per cent under the regular retail price. Materials are Mulls, Swisses and Batistes, and the prices are **$5.00, $5.50, $7.00, $9.00, $9.50, $12.50** and up to **$20.00.**

Presents of the Practical Sort

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A BEAUTIFUL assortment of Robe Blankets in Plaids, Stripes and Jacquard effects, from the most prominent German and French manufacturers, each **$1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00** and **$3.50.** One Blanket sufficient to make a full-size Bath or Slumber Robe.

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A new lot of fine white Satin Marseilles Bedspreads, scalloped—a new idea; each, **$4.50.**

Silk-Covered Down or Wool-Filled Comfortables are to be had for, each, **$12.50, $13.50, $15.00, $16.50, $20.00, $22.50** and up to **$35.00.**

Our own importation of fine English Satin Marseilles Bedspreads come put up in beautiful boxes, suitable for single, twin beds, three-quarter or double bed sizes; hemmed or fringed; each, **$4.00, $4.50, $5.00, $6.50** and **$7.50.**

The Sale of Women's Gloves At Nearly Half Price

IN order to satisfy to the full those who intend to make Holiday Glove purchases, we shall place on sale two lots that have formerly sold at $1.50 and $1.65 a pair.

This is not a sale of seconds or soiled gloves; every pair is entirely new, clean, perfect.

1st Lot—Two-clasp Pique or two-clasp overseam, in white, cream and pearl only; all sizes from 5½ to 7—$1.50 Gloves for **85c**

2d Lot—Consists of three-clasp overseam; colors, white, pearl and cream; all sizes from 5½ to 7—$1.65 Gloves for **90c**

Holiday Aprons From 25c to $3.75

Tea Aprons at 25c—Small round Apron; white lawn with hemstitched ruffle.

At 50c—Round Dotted Swiss, with Swiss blind embroidery ruffle.

Maids' Aprons at 25c—Plain white lawn, with wide hem.

At 50c—White Lawn, with neat embroidery.

Bretelle Aprons at 25c—Plain white Lawn, with hemmed bretelles.

At 50c—Lawn with embroidery-trimmed bretelles.

At $1.00 — Fancy Swiss, round Apron, with dainty lace ruffle, ribbon and beading. Lace and embroidery medallions, with large ribbon bows.

Taffeta Silk Petticoats

Delicate Evening Shades

At $5.00—An unusual Skirt for the price; made of superior quality silk, with a very deep "Paquin" accordion-plaited flounce and tucked ruffle. Silk underlay the full depth of flounce. Colors, pink, blue and white.

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Is under way, and one or two mentions will show the trend of price. You must come to the department to get a correct idea of the quality and extent of the stock.

Women's hemstitched and with initial in circle of dots, all pure linen, 6 in box, for **$1.00**

Women's hemstitched, embroidered, scalloped and embroidered in colors; some solid colors and others in neat patterns; all linen, each **25c**

Men's all pure linen hemstitched initial handkerchiefs, a special, each **15c**

Men's all pure linen hemstitched initial handkerchiefs, special value, each **25c**

A great assortment of children's handkerchiefs in boxes, white and colored borders, each **25c**

Children's all-linen handkerchiefs, with initial, 3 in a box, for **35c**

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Corset Section

Accessories that Make Dainty Holiday Gifts

At 50c—Sachet Hearts, made of Taffeta silk, with lace edge.

At 50c—Sachet Jewel Bags, made of silk with ribbon bows.

At $1.00—Fancy Ruffled Supporters, of satin ribbon.

At $1.00—Silk Ribbon Girdles, in pink, blue and white.

Infants' Section

Holiday Suggestions

At 50c—Baby Veils of fancy net, with dainty Val. lace edge.

At 75c—Fancy Coat Hangers for Child's Coat or Dress, made of satin ribbon, in pink or blue.

At 75c—Infants' Drawer Leggins, for 2 and 3 years of age; made of knitted white wool.

At $1.00—French Bib, of French Pique, beautifully hand-embroidered and scalloped.

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A Sale of Women's

Lisle Stockings

A SPECIAL lot received this (Thursday) morning and will be placed on sale Friday. They are all fancy lace and embroidered boot hosiery in blacks and colors. 75c and $1.00 values. Special Sale Price..... **50c**

Advance Holiday Offer
Millinery Department

⅓ off
on all
Trimmed Hats

The reduction includes our latest models from Paris and New York; also all our fancy and school Hats for children.



Sample Table and Stand Covers

JUST about fifty of these, all told—French Velour Table and Stand Covers—just received from our Paris office—a manufacturer's samples of 1907 patterns—in handsome silky effects and different colorings. They've served their purpose inasmuch as we've made our selection from them and placed our orders for next year—in two sizes, suitable for small stands and tables—on sale tomorrow at the Linen Department at

$1.00 AND $1.50

The Store of the People

Nugents

Broadway, Washington Av., St. Charles St.

Silk Mufflers at ½ Price

Handkerchief Dept.—First Floor.

A SALESMEN'S sample line of about 185 Men's and Women's Silk Mufflers; no two alike; in solid black and cream and in fancy colored effects; square and in the new Reefer shape. On sale Friday at one-half regular prices.

$1.00 Mufflers at.....**50c**
$1.50 Mufflers at.....**75c**
$2.00 and $2.50 Mufflers at **$1.00**



By Far the Greatest Sale of Women's Outer Apparel in This Store's History Announced for Tomorrow

MERELY necessary is it for our patrons to read the price-list below to realize the vital importance of this sale to themselves. The situation—the prices are simply astounding—and the weather's to be thanked for it all.

Women's Cloth Suits; Cloth Coats; Cloth Jackets; Silk, Net and Lingerie Waists; French Lingerie Dresses; Evening Gowns; Reception Suits; Velvet Suits; broken lines in all these must go Friday sure.

Notice, if you please, that we give the actual number of garments in each lot and the actual price reductions. If the particular size you want is not in the lot you have your mind set on, you'll find it in the others—that is if you respond early in the day.

Suits

35 Suits of Broadcloth, Cheviot and Panama—original prices were $10.75, $18.50, $19.75, $24.50 and $29.50.
Choice $5.00 Each

42 Suits in Mixtures, Cheviots, Broadcloths and Panamas—original prices were $12.75, $15.00, $22.50 and $24.75,
Choice $9.75 Each

69 Suits in Cheviots, Novelty Mixtures, Broadcloths and Panamas—original prices were $15.00, $18.75, $22.50, $25.00 and $28.50,
Choice $12.75 Each

87 Suits of English Tweeds, Broadcloths, Cheviots, etc., etc.—original prices were $18.25, $22.50, $24.50, $25.00, $28.50 and $32.50,
Choice $15.00 Each

15 White All-Wool, Hair-Lined Serge Suits, slightly soiled—original price $25.00, $27.50 and $32.50,
Choice $15.00 Each

5 White All-Wool Serge Suits, short coats—slightly soiled—original price $55.00, $60.00, $65.00,
Choice $24.50 Each

10 Velvet Suits, satin-lined—original price $32.50 and $35.00,
Choice $22.50 Each

Evening Coats

Five Heavy Silk Long Evening Coats, slightly soiled, white—original price $62.50,
Choice $29.50 Each

Ten White Serge Evening Coats, silk lined, slightly soiled—¾ length—original price $49.50,
Choice $29.75 Each

Coats

25 Covert Jackets, broken sizes—original price $6.50,
Choice $2.50 Each

15 Kersey Coats, ¾-length, loose effect—original prices $8.95 and $10.00,
Choice $5.50 Each

22 Long Loose Mixture Coats—original prices $12.50 and $15,
Choice $7.95 Each

32 Coats, three-quarter length and Prince Chap styles—original prices $15.00 to $18.75,
Choice $8.25 Each

27 Coats, tight-fitted, hip length—original prices, $18.50 and $22.00,
Choice $10.75 Each

3 Crepe de Chine Costumes—original prices $62.50, $67.50 and $75.00,
Choice $32.50 Each

Dresses

18 French Lingerie Dresses; splendid for party and evening wear—original prices $12.50, $15.00 and $18.50.
Choice $9.50 Each

7 French Lingerie Dresses, good for graduation and party dresses—original prices $19.50, $22.50 and $25.00,
Choice $12.50 Each,

Waists

50 dozen Madras Waists—original price $1.00,
Choice 25 cents Each

Five Cluny Waists, silk lined—original price $25.00,
Choice $10.00 Each

37 dozen Lingerie Waists; Embroidered Panels—original price $1.75,
Choice 95 cents Each

62 dozen Lingerie Eyelet Embroidery Waists—original price $1.50,
Choice 75 cents Each

1000 Raincoats

These should have been delivered Oct. 1. The railroad stood the loss of non-delivery on time—paid us cash for these garments, and then sold them to us at a great reduction rather than send them to auction.

Every Coat is of the latest cut and style and in beautiful materials; great for covering up one's dresses this dreadful weather, and nothing more appropriate for Xmas gifts.

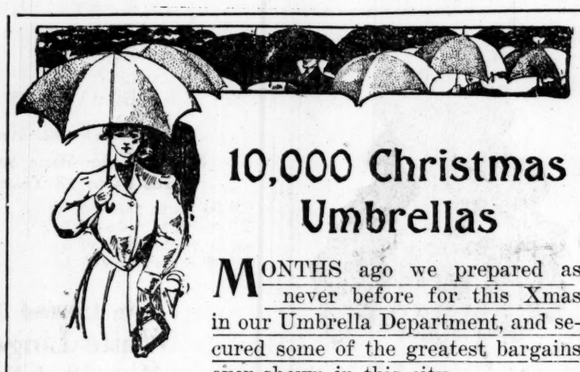
$10.00 and $12.50 Raincoats for.....**$5.00** each
$15.00 and $17.50 Raincoats for.....**$9.75** each
$19.50 Raincoats for.....**$10.50** each
$21.00 Raincoats for.....**$11.75** each
$22.50 Raincoats for.....**$12.75** each
$25.00 Raincoats for.....**$14.75** each
$27.50 Raincoats for.....**$15.75** each
$29.75 Raincoats for.....**$16.75** each
$30.00 Raincoats for.....**$17.50** each
$32.50 Raincoats for.....**$18.75** each
$35.00 Silk Rubber Raincoats for.....**$21.50** each
$37.50 Silk Rubber Raincoats for.....**$22.50** each
$40.00 Silk Rubber Raincoats for.....**$25.00** each
$47.50 Silk Rubber Raincoats for.....**$27.50** each
$65.00 Silk Rubber Raincoats for.....**$35.00** each

Automobile owners, these fine Silk Rubber Coats make great Christmas presents. Don't miss seeing them.

Hosiery and Underwear Bargains

WOMEN'S, Children's and Men's Hosiery and Women's and Children's Undergarments—odd and special lots—in which you save dimes, quarters and half-dollars Friday.

Broken lot of Children's Fast Black Ribbed Cotton Hose—regular price 19c—Friday.....**10c**
Men's Heavy Fast Black Fleece-Lined Socks—the 19c quality—Friday for.....**12½c**
Women's Regular 25c Split Feet Cotton Hose—Friday.....**15c**
Women's 25c Out-size Black Cotton Hose—fashioned feet—Friday.....**17c**
Children's 50c Swiss Ribbed Cotton Shirts—Friday.....**24c**
Children's $1.00 Ribbed Merino Vests and Pants—Friday, each.....**45c**
Women's 65c Fancy Fleece-Lined Vests and Pants—Friday, each.....**39c**
Small lot of Women's $1.25 Imported Merino Vests—short sleeves—Friday, each.....**50c**



10,000 Christmas Umbrellas

MONTHS ago we prepared as never before for this Xmas in our Umbrella Department, and secured some of the greatest bargains ever shown in this city.

Something Unheard-of

A guaranteed Umbrella—guaranteed for one year—pearl and sterling silver handles, boxwood and Congo Princess handles, gunmetal and beautiful horn handles large crooks in fine woods—not an Umbrella in the lot worth less than $2.50 and many worth $3.00 and $3.75 each—your choice Friday at..... **$1.25**

Women's, Misses' and Children's

Trimmed Hats

ALL that seven big tables can possibly hold must go. Prices made for this Friday that will clear every one before night comes.

25c for $1.00 to $1.75 Hats
50c for $2.00 to $2.50 Hats
$1.85 for $3.00 to $3.50 Hats
$2.50 for.....$5.00 Hats
$3.00 for.....$7.50 Hats
Flowers, Quills and Ostrich Tips—Big Bargain Square.

Flowers, Quills and Ostrich Tips

One Great Big Bargain Square
(Second Floor.)

50c, 75c and $1.00 Flowers, for, bunch.....**25c**
50c Quills for, each.....**25c**
50c, 75c, $1 and $1.50 Wings, for, each.....**25c**
50c and 75c Ostrich Tips, for, each.....**25c**

Great Sale of Lace Curtains

One thousand pair Lace Curtains, Lace Bed Shams and Lace Door Panels, slightly damaged, will be put on sale Friday at half price and less.

Lace Bed Shams; worth up to 25c, for.....**5c**
Lace Door Panels, with medallion centers; worth 35c, for.....**12c**
Notingham Lace Curtains, worth 60c, for..**25c**
Nottingham Lace Curtains; all double-thread nets; worth $1.50 pair, for.....**75c**
Nottingham Lace Curtains, 48 inches wide; worth $1.00, for.....**45c**
Brussels Weave Curtains; worth $2.25, for.....**98c**
Brussels Weave Curtains, 3½ yds. long; worth $3.00, for.....**$1.25**
Brussels Weave Curtains, extra fine quality; worth $3.50, for.**$1.75**



The Best Yet in Gloves

Long Glace Kid Gloves—Two thousand pairs of them; 12-button lengths; full 20 inches long; first quality Kid Gloves, in black, white, tans and browns; regular $3.50 Glace Gloves; special Friday, pair. **$2.20**

We guarantee these to be first quality and absolutely the best bargain in long Gloves offered this season, as the value is in them, and the length, fit and style are perfect. As the price quoted is less than the prevailing wholesale price for same quality, we will not sell more than two pairs to a customer, in order to prevent dealers buying them. We want our customers to get the benefit of this sale.
A handsome Glove Box Free with each purchase.

Keep the Change

YOU save on the Suit, Overcoat, Pants or House Coat you buy here Friday, and you'll find it will go quite a way in the purchase of your Christmas requisites—in most instances a dollar will do double duty—and the character of the clothing you buy is above par, both as to style and quality. Just read the price story:

95c for Boys' $1.50 Sweaters—Made of pure lamb's wool, in solid colors and fancy stripes; heavy ribbed, with golf or the new coat collars; extra good value at $1.50; an appropriate Xmas present; Friday..... **95c**

50c for Boys' $1.00 Knee Pants—Nugents' celebrated Indestructible Knee Pants, made of splendid wearing cheviots and cassimeres, in fancy mixtures and plain blue; double seat and knees; extra taped seams; strongly sewed; very serviceable for school wear; $1.00 Pants; Friday..... **50c**

$1.75 for Boys' $3.00 Knee Pants Suits—Fancy mixtures, in cheviots and tweeds; double-breasted styles; a well-made Suit, with good linings; the right kind for school wear, as they are made to stand the hard usage; the regular $3.00 values; Friday..... **$1.75**

$3.95 for Boys' $6.00 Overcoats—All-wool frieze and extra-weight cheviots, in the dark gray mixtures; a good long-cut Coat, especially made for service and warmth; a splendid $6.00 value; Friday for..... **$3.95**

See our line of House Coats, Smoking Jackets and Lounging Robes—the largest selection in the city—at prices from **$3.95** to **$15.00.**

$5.00 for Boys' $7.50 Long-Pants Suits—Cheviots, cassimeres or fancy mixtures; made in prevailing fashions; well tailored and lined throughout; Friday.... **$5.00**

$5.00 for Young Men's $8.50 Overcoats—Ages 14 to 21 years, (or 28 to 37 chest); all-wool cheviots and friezes, in fancy mixtures and plain Oxford gray, blue and black; single or double breasted styles; body-fitting or the loose, full back; ¾ lengths; also the long cut style; lined with best of wearing materials; would be considered extra good value at $8.50; Friday..... **$5.00**

$10 for Men's $15 Suits—A manufacturer's sample line, consisting of cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds; all this season's styles; tailored in the best possible manner; they are in fancy mixtures of latest designs; perfect in every respect; were made to sell at $15; our price Friday.... **$10.00**

$7.50 for Men's $15 Overcoats—A backward season enabled us to buy this manufacturer's sample line at our own price, so offer you the choice of fine all-wool Kersey, Melton, Cheviot and Frieze Overcoats at just one-half price; solid shades in gray, black and fancy mixtures; single and double breasted styles; ¾ lengths, with box back or body-fitting; also the long effects; they are fully worth $15.00; Friday..... **$7.50**

Shoe Bargains of Rarest Sort

(Basement.)



WHEN you can save at the very least one-fifth and often a third on your purchase of Shoes it's to your own interest to buy here, isn't it? That's exactly what Friday's sale offers.

Women's Regular $2.00 **Dongola Lace Shoes**—patent leather tips—extension soles—neat round toes..... **$1.50**
Women's Regular $2.50 **Dongola Blucher Lace Shoes**—patent leather tips and heel foxing—very nobby..... **$1.79**
Women's Regular $2.50 **Fine Patent Colt Blucher Lace Shoes**—extension sole—dull kid top—Cuban leather heels—very dressy Shoe..... **$1.98**
Women's Fine Felt **Juliette Slippers**—hand-turned sole—fur-trimmed—low, flat heels—black or gray—warm and comfortable for the house..... **$1.25**
Men's Fine Kid Slippers—in black and tan—the Faust, Everett and Opera styles—these goods are made of best selected stock, and have no equal at the price—sizes 6 to 11..... **$1.50**

FREE! FREE!
A handsome Pocket Knife with every pair of Boys' and Girls' Shoes from $1.50 and over.

Friday Bargains in Holiday Handkerchiefs

FANCY Work Handkerchiefs, in pretty allover designs of roses, carnations, sweet peas and pansies, with solid color pink and blue borders, used for pillow tops, catch-all bags, etc, worth 10c each, Friday..... **5c**

Men's Novelty Crossbar Handkerchiefs, in a large variety of checks and corded effects; hemstitched ½ and 1 inch hems, special Friday, 3 for 25c, or, each..... **10c**

Women's Lace Handkerchiefs, pure linen center, put up 6 in a fancy box, worth 15c each, Friday..... **50c a Box**

Men's All Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, ½-inch hems, Initial hand-embroidered; put up 6 in a box; worth $1.00 box, Friday..... **75c a Box**

Present Her With a Pretty Framed Picture

WE'RE closing out our entire stock of Framed Pictures at about a half and one-third regular prices, and offer a splendid collection to choose from.

Carbonette Pictures with heavy beveled oak and gilt frames—size 10x12 inches—worth 25c and 29c—for.....**10c**
Oval Gilt Frame Pictures—size 11x15 inches—worth 39c—for.....**15c**
Landscape Pictures with gilt frames, with fancy metal ornaments to corners—worth 69c—for.....**38c**
Pictures with 3-inch oak frames—fruit designs—size 14x16 inches—worth 89c—for.....**57c**
Gilt Frame Pictures—assorted subjects—size 18x22 inches—worth $1.49—for.....**$1.00**
Pastels with gilt frame and fancy gilt ornaments—size 15x27 inches—worth $2.75—for.....**$1.83**

Women's Neckwear

DAINTY, useful gifts at little prices; just room to mention a mere half dozen special offerings for Friday.

Embroidered Collars—Laundered; pretty variety of patterns; sizes 12 to 14—special..... **10c**
Neck Ruchings—Two pieces in a pretty holly box; Friday only..... **10c**
Neck Ruchings—All white, six neck lengths, encased in neat box..... **25c**
Chiffon and Lace Trimmed Stocks, with Chiffon Jabots in white and colors; each..... **25c**
China Silk and Chiffon Scarfs—Two yards long and 18 inches wide, plain colors and floral patterns..... **98c**
Point Sage and Venise Stock Collars, in a hundred different patterns, special..... **15c**

Miscellaneous Gift Bargains

SPECIAL items picked up here and there about the Upholstery Department and offered at unusually low Friday prices.

Fire Screens, filed with Lithograph designs, worth 90c, for...**68c**
Folding Screens, filled with burlap, worth $3.95, for.....**$2.89**
Carpet Sweepers, Bissell's best, from $2.50 to.....**$4.50**
Bamboo Shirt Waist Boxes, in ash and cedar, from $5.00 to..**$9.50**
Genuine Red Cedar Chests, from $6.50 to.....**$8.50**
Footstools with oak top.....**40c**
Bamboo Tabourettes at.....**60c**
Folding Sewing Tables, worth $1.25, for.....**$1.00**

B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway, Washington Avenue and St. Charles Street

Cures Drunkards

Mary's Miracle

The day of working miracles,
I'm sure is far from past,
And now to show you what I mean,
I'll tell you of the last
Great one that happened right to me,
For I was part of it, you see.

You know the life I used to lead—
O God, a living death,
A drunkard of the hopeless kind—
For, scarce a sober breath
I ever drew, and hope and pride
Were lost to me and nearly all beside.



One friend alone was left—my wife,
God bless her ev'ry hour!
She saved me from a drunkard's grave,
And whiskey's wicked power.
Just how she saved me you shall see—
This is the way she told it to me.

When hope was almost dead within
Her faithful, constant breast,
She read of Dr. Haines' Cure.
Then without stay or rest,
She sent for one Trial Sample free,
And gave it unbeknown to me.

...nk of it at ev'ry meal—
...te it in my bread,
...e Mary watched me anxiously,
...t ne'er a word she said;
Until one day I stopped to think,
That I had lost my love for drink!

When, quite unconscious I was cured,
My Mary told me all;
It seemed the very act of God,
A modern miracle;
I call it this, because my wife
And Haines' Cure had saved my life.

And now my little story's done.
My ev'ry word is true,
And what this treatment did for me,
The same 'twill do for you;
And wives and mothers—one and all,
Take heart of Mary's Miracle.

Save those near and dear to you from a life of degradation, poverty and disgrace. You can do it by cutting out this coupon.

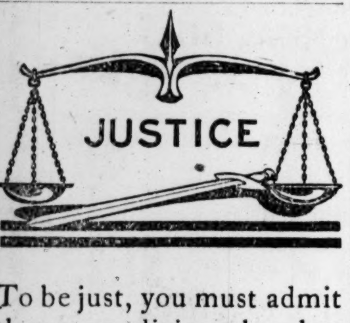
Free Treatment Coupon.

Fill in your name and address on blank lines below. Then cut out this coupon and mail it to Dr. J. W. Haines, 8161 Glenn Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio. You will receive in return enough of the remedy to prove to you that it will cure drunkenness in any form. You give it in tea, coffee or food. The drunkard will stop drinking without knowing why. You will also get books and testimonials to prove how hundreds have been saved.

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To be just, you must admit that a medicine that has tens of thousands of cures to its credit is a benefit to humanity.

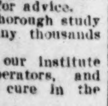
BLACK-GIN
FOR THE KIDNEYS

is this kind of a medicine and will undoubtedly cure your kidney disorders, as it has cured others.

Medicine—not liquor.

Large bottle $1.00
at your druggist's

Pimples, Blackheads, Blotchy Skin.



WHAT a world of humiliation is expressed in these words! If you are so unfortunate as to have a pimply, blotchy face, which is continually getting worse instead of better, call or write us for advice.

Our specialists have made a thorough study of this common trouble and many thousands are cured by us every year.

Treatment is administered at our institute by skilful, long experienced operators, and our patients are assured of a cure in the shortest possible time.

Write today for question blank and full information.

No fee required for consultation and advice.

John H. Woodbury Dermatological Institute
Dept. N, 306 Mermod-Jaccard Bldg., St. Louis

Doomed!

GET A BOX OF
Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste

Dooms rats and mice to quick destruction. They rush out of the house to die and will never bother you again. Also for cockroaches, water-bugs, bed bugs, etc. 2 oz. box 25c; 16 oz. box $1.00. Sold everywhere or sent direct prepaid on receipt of price.

Stearns' Electric Paste Co.,
Buffalo, N.Y., U.S.A.
(Formerly Chicago, Ill.)



SENATE EXPECTS CUBAN ANNEXATION

With This View, Leaders Decide Not to Consider Isle of Pines Treaty.

EUROPE SEES IT, TOO

Germany and England Have Failed to Name Ministers for Havana.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The annexation of Cuba to the United States is regarded by Republican leaders in the Senate as only a question of time. Many believe that this step will be taken within a year. So general is the impression that annexation is inevitable that decision has been reached by the Committee on Foreign Relations not to take up the treaty dealing with the question of sovereignty over the Isle of Pines at this session of Congress.

For more than a year efforts have been made to get the ratification of a treaty giving Cuba sovereignty over the Isle of Pines, where American capitalists have made heavy investments. This was so bitterly opposed by Senators Penrose, Morgan and others that an agreement was reached since this session of Congress began that a new treaty should be negotiated, in which ample protection should be given American interests, although sovereignty would be given Cuba. This new convention has not yet been sent to the Senate. An announcement was made that when it came in consideration should not be had until a final vote was reached.

This entire program has been changed. The new treaty may be arranged, but will not be considered by the Senate. More than a year must elapse before the Isle of Pines treaty is taken up by the Senate.

Magoon Doomed to Fail.

During that time, it is believed by Republican leaders, the adjustment of affairs in Cuba, which is now going on under the supervision of Gov. Magoon, will prove a failure. The impression prevails that no settlement of differences between the contending factions in Cuba will ever be accomplished. The establishment of a protectorate or actual annexation must follow.

Some of the European nations have already adopted the views entertained by many senators and regard the United States as now in virtual control of Cuban affairs and responsible for what transpires in the island. Great Britain and Germany have not filled vacancies that exist in the post of Minister at Havana and will not do so for an indefinite period, having decided to await the termination of the present interval of intervention. It is stated France and Italy will soon leave their legations with a charge d'affaires and not return ministers until Cuba can again be recognized as an independent power.

The prevailing sentiment among senators is opposed to the annexation of Cuba. It is believed the United States has a sufficient number of colonies. The question that presents itself is that this Government will be forced to annex Cuba and that no other alternative will be open when the time is reached.

ORGANISING FOR REVISION.

Ames Finds Many Favoring Special Tariff Session.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Massachusetts delegation is making an effort to have a caucus of the Republicans called on tariff revision before the holiday recess and to that end Representative Ames will circulate a petition to get the necessary 60 signers. He said he had found many who favor immediate revision of the tariff immediately after the adjournment of the short session and that those favoring it are not confined to any section.

"I don't like to criticise the House leaders," Mr. Ames said, "but I cannot ...p knowing that old age is conservative and loves to look backward and feel perfectly satisfied. In this case the old people are satisfied with our great prosperity, but I am among those who are young and hopeful of the future. I think that, although the present conditions are satisfactory, we can do much better by revising the tariff. I think it should be done right after the close of the present session—at a special session—because if we do not improve the opportunity to do so at that time we shall not be able to do it until two years from now.

"The Speaker is inclined to let the tariff alone until we are defeated, which mean that the Democrats would revise it by a horizontal reduction of a free-trade basis. The business world is anxious that if the tariff is to be revised it should be done by the friends of protection in order that business conditions shall not be disturbed.

"The Republicans are inclined to forget the growing sentiment throughout the country in favor of revision and the fact that at the last election a large number of the Republican members were elected by only two or three hundred votes."

Big Four Holiday Excursion Tickets On sale Dec. 22, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, Jan. 1. Return limit Jan. 2. Ticket office Broadway and Chestnut and Station.

NEW LAWS FOR COUNTY.

Physicians to Be Regulated and Building Permits Issued.

Several measures recommended by the St. Louis County Court will be introduced at the next session of the Legislature by the members elect from the county. Among the proposed bills is one making it a misdemeanor for a physician not to register a birth or death with the County Clerk. Another measure, if enacted, will require physicians registered in St. Louis, and practicing in St. Louis County, to register also with the County Clerk.

A building permit law will be introduced. This will enable the assessor to keep a record of all buildings erected in the county.

Another measure contemplates an amendment in the automobile license law, making all licenses expire Dec. 31, regardless of the date of issue. Joint use of the poles of the county roads by the telephone, electric light and power companies will be advocated. The companies now have separate poles.

Get Ready for Christmas Now. Don't wait until the last minute. Buy your presents now. We are selling Diamonds and Watches on easy monthly payments. Open every night until 9:30. Loftis Bros., 2d fl., Carleton Bldg., 6th & Olive.

Business Woman Married

Miss Blanche Close and J. W. Pletcher, a young dentist of Pacific, Mo., were married Wednesday evening, in the Lafayette Park Presbyterian Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. S. C. Palmer. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the young couple witnessed the ceremony. Mrs. Pletcher is a graduate of Forest Park University and a well known business woman of Pacific.

Omega Oil Is a Blessing to Rheumatics. It has relieved thousands. Try a ...

GRAND-LEADER STIX, BAER & FULLER D. G. CO.

To Christmas Shoppers

Please buy your presents early—Early in the day and early in December—That will be your biggest gift of the holidays to the workers behind the counters and on the delivery wagons.

There has never been a sale of Women's Apparel that created such enthusiasm as this sale of

Manufacturers' Samples and Surplus Stocks

and we know of no selling event that has been more worthy of St. Louis women's interest



THE best evidence of this sale's importance is the fact that it has created such favorable comment. As no one speaks favorably unless they are pleased, it is evident that the values have at least come up to their expectations, and as we promised the greatest values in our history, you can appreciate the character of these offerings.

THE garments involved in this sale come from the foremost manufacturers in America—they are of the highest class and up to the moment in style—the prices are the lowest ever quoted for equal values, and we advise you to make the most of this exceptional saving opportunity.

$20 to $30 Demi-Costumes, $12.50

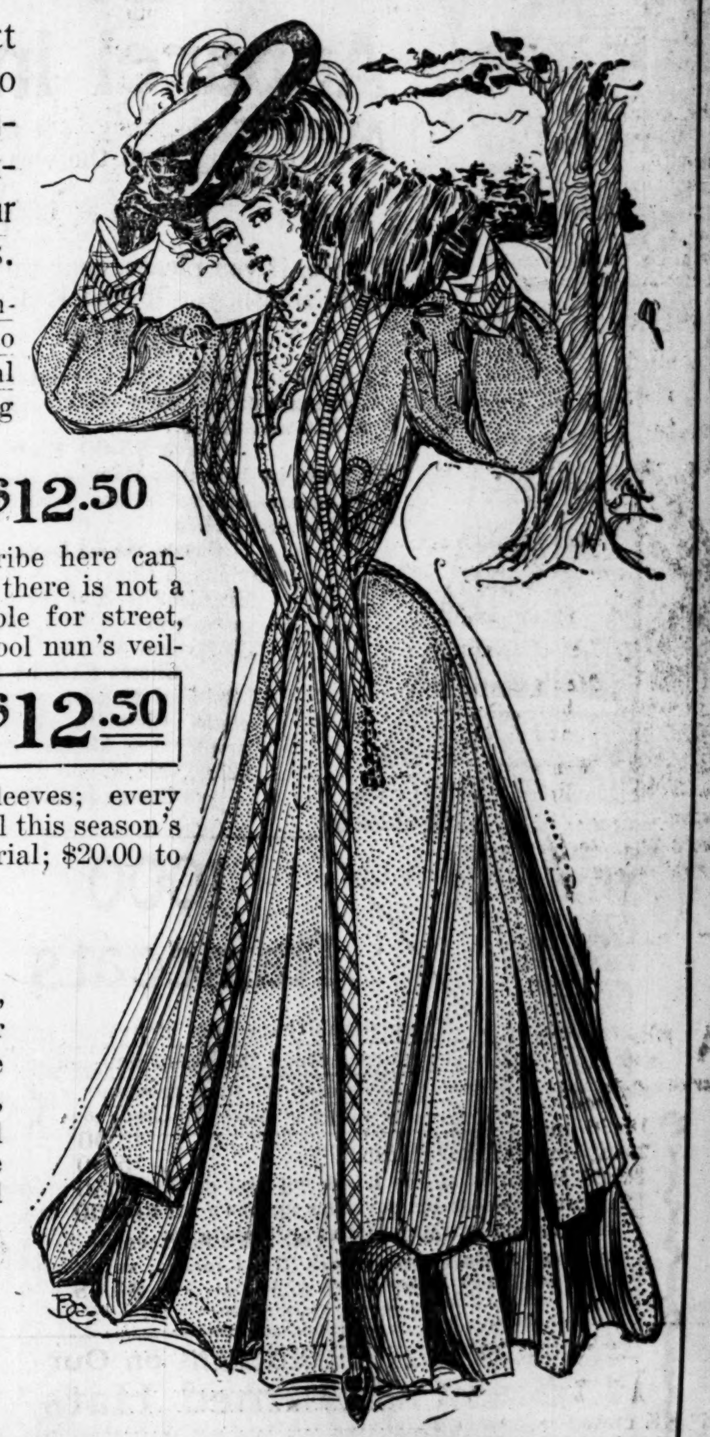
YOU know that a demi-costume made of the materials we describe here cannot be bought for anywhere near the price we mention, and there is not a mere handful of garments in this lot, but fully 500 of them; suitable for street, afternoon or evening wear; magnificent, dressy costumes of all-wool nun's veiling, in all colors, in about 25 different styles; also of French voile, chiffon, taffeta silk, messaline, crepe de Chine and a dozen other wanted materials; all handsomely finished and trimmed. Some are made over taffeta lining; others have lace yokes and sleeves; every imaginable color is represented, also white and black. They are all this season's models, and the price does not begin to cover the cost of the material; $20.00 to $30.00 values; choice $12.50.

$12.50 **$12.50**

Women's High-Class Gowns at Half

GOWNS suitable for every occasion, street, afternoon, calling, evening or theater wear; decollete or high neck; of allover lace, net, chiffon, radium, chiffon cloths, chiffon taffeta, crepe de Chine and messaline; every imaginable color is included—navy, brown, light blue, pink, maize, canary, red, helio, corn, white and black; these are all high-class models and exclusive styles; therefore it is impossible to give a detailed description; all sizes will be found in the various groups.

$50 and $60 High-Class Gowns on sale at $24.75
$65 and $75 High-Class Gowns on sale at $37.50
$100 and $125 High-Class Gowns on sale at $49.75
$150 and $200 High-Class Gowns on sale at $75.00
$250 and $300 High-Class Gowns on sale at $99.00



Women's Tailored Suits at Half

STYLISH short Eton Blouse Suits; fancy trimmed, long tight-fitting Suits; semi-fitted Coat Suits; Pony Coat Suits and Prince Chap Suits; made up of all-wool broadcloths, cheviots, chiffon broadcloths, fancy mixtures, shadow plaids and worsteds; in fact, every desirable material is represented; all colors, black and fancy mixtures.

Women's $20.00 and $25.00 Tailor-Made Suits, $12.50
Women's $27.50 and $30.00 Tailor-Made Suits, $14.75
Women's $35.00 and $40.00 Tailor-Made Suits, $19.75
Women's $45.00 and $50.00 Tailor-Made Suits, $24.75
Women's $65.00 to $75.00 Tailor-Made Suits, $37.50
Women's $85.00 to $100.00 Tailor-Made Suits, $49.75
Women's $125.00 and $150.00 Tailor-Made Suits, $75.00

Misses' Suits at Half

IN this collection you will find suits suitable for small women requiring 34 and 38 size jackets; also for young misses 16 to 20 years of age, and junior suits for girls 12 to 16 years of age.

$15.00 to $18.00 Misses' Tailor-Made Suits, $ 9.95
$20.00 to $25.00 Misses' Tailor-Made Suits, $12.50
$27.50 to $30.00 Misses' Tailor-Made Suits, $14.75
$35.00 to $40.00 Misses' Tailor-Made Suits, $24.75
$50.00 to $75.00 Misses' Tailor-Made Suits $37.50

Women's Evening Coats

BEAUTIFUL Evening Coats; 48 to 55 inches long; of broadcloths, chiffon velvets and allover laces; every one this season's model. all handsomely trimmed; lined with the best of satin or taffeta; in white, light blue, pink, champagne, red and tan—

$25.00 Evening Coats, $14.75
$35.00 Evening Coats, $19.75
$42.50 Evening Coats, $24.75
$50.00 Evening Coats, $29.75
$75.00 Evening Coats, $49.75
$100.00 Evening Coats, $67.50
$125.00 Evening Coats, $75.00
$150.00 Evening Coats, $99.00

Misses' Long Coats at Half

MISSES' Stylish Coats, all of which are offered at half their actual value; stylish Tourist Coats of imported fancy mixtures and plaids; in various shades of grays and browns; all-wool kersey and broadcloth Coats in castor, brown, blue, black and red; semi-fitted or full loose back; all wool cheviot Coats in black, blue, brown and red; 45 to 50 inches long, variously trimmed with self-straps, fancy buttons, velvet and braid; some half lined; others entirely lined with satin—

Values,	$10.00	$15.00	$20.00 and	$25.00
Selling Prices,	$4.95,	$7.50,	$9.95 and	$12.50

Women's Cloth Coats

COATS for automobiling, coats for stormy weather, and jaunty little street jackets; all at a great saving. Made up of all-wool broadcloth, cheviots, meltons, Scotch mixtures and plaids; come in black, blue, brown, tan, castor and wine.

Women's $20.00 and $22.50 Cloth Coats, $12.50
Women's $23.00 and $25.00 Cloth Coats, $14.75
Women's $27.50 and $30.00 Cloth Coats, $19.75
Women's $35.00 and $37.50 Cloth Coats, $24.75
Women's $45.00 and $50.00 Cloth Coats, $35.00
Women's $60.00 and $75.00 Cloth Coats, $49.75

Velour and Velvet Coats

SILK Velour and Velvet Coats; in the short box, new military, long tight-fitting, semifitted or full looseback styles; all handsomely trimmed with braid and ornaments; some of the long garments have fur collars.

Women's $30.00 Velour and Velvet Coats, $14.75
Women's $40.00 Velour and Velvet Coats, $19.75
Women's $50.00 Velour and Velvet Coats, $24.75
Women's $75.00 Velour and Velvet Coats, $37.50
Women's $100.00 Velour and Velvet Coats, $49.75
Women's $125.00 Velour and Velvet Coats, $75.00

Women's $13.50, $15.00, $16.50 and $18.00 Coats at $9.95

We describe as an example, just one of the many groups of Coats to be found in this sale. At $9.95 we show more than fifty different styles. Identical garments are universally priced $13.50, $15.00, $16.50 and $18.00. Surely a great difference in the price, and it is not to be wondered at that this sale has created such great enthusiasm in the city. Among the collection you will find all-wool Broadcloth Coats, 50 inches long; satin lined throughout; all-wool Kersey Coats in black and castor, lined with satin—also tight-fitting Cheviot Coats—tight-fitting Kersey Coats, and a great many others. Semi-fitted loose back, tight-fitting models of kerseys, cheviots, broadcloths and coverts—garments that are up to the moment in style—on sale at...............

$9.95 **$9.95**

The Following Coat Bargains in the Basement

Bargain Basement **Bargain Basement**

DO NOT overlook the Basement during this sale of manufacturers' samples and surplus stocks as it abounds in wonderful values in popular priced garments. We mention below four of the many great bargains.

$6.00 Winter Coats, $3.98

WOMEN'S Winter Coats; three-quarter length; full loose back; double-breasted front; patch pockets; velvet collar; made of all-wool black cheviot; in a complete line of sizes; $6.00 value; at... **$3.98**

$8.00 Winter Coats, $4.95

WOMEN'S Winter Coats; several different styles; of all-wool kersey and cheviot; semi-fitted or full loose back; shaped collar or collarless; turnover cuffs; lined to the waist with satin; plenty of all sizes; $8.00 value; on sale at..... **$4.95**

$12.50 Kersey Coats, $7.50

WOMEN'S Coats of all-wool English kersey; 50 inches long; full loose back; double-breasted front; inlaid velvet collar and cuffs; front and back trimmed with braid; $12.50 value............ **$7.50**

$13.50 Broadcloth Coats, $8.50

COATS of all-wool black broadcloth; 50 inches long; full loose ripple back; deep turndown collar trimmed with velvet and silk braid; turnover cuffs; entirely lined with black or gray satin; worth fully $13.50; on sale at.............. **$8.50**

Editorial

Christmas shopping has begun in earnest and there is every advantage in coming to Grand-Leader—you shop here with absolute safety and comfort—the building is fireproof—aisles broad—plenty of stairways and elevators.

Grand-Leader for Books.
Grand-Leader for Gloves.
Grand-Leader for Handkerchiefs.
Grand-Leader for Jewelry.
Grand-Leader for Toys.

In fact, Grand-Leader for everything that everybody needs. Nowhere will you find such assortments and nowhere **lower** prices.

Buy now; deliveries can be made later—whenever you designate.

Please shop early—early in the day and early in the month.

The great sale of Women's and Misses' Apparel offers wonderful opportunities for saving. High-class outergarments were never offered for so little.

Stix, Baer & Fuller D. G. Co.

GRAND-LEADER STIX, BAER & FULLER D. G. CO

Friday Bargain News from the "Home of Santa Claus"

Silk Hosiery
Up to $3.50 Values, $1

WE bought 50 dozen Kayser Brand Silk Hose for women at an extraordinary low figure; they are the "run of the mill" and have slight defects; fast black; also silk embroidered lisle and black and colored silk Hose; values up to $3.50; on sale Friday in one group; choice at..... **$1.00**

(Main Floor.)

Fancy Velvets
$1.50 Quality, 25c a yard

WE offer a lot of Fancy Velvets at an extraordinarily low price. We advise those who desire to participate in this unusual offering to be on hand early, as the lot will sell out within two hours. Fine Silk Velvets in fancy designs; some plain with long nap; desirable for Children's Coats, etc.; $1.50 quality; at, per yard..... **25c**

(Main Floor.)

Long Kid Gloves
$3.50 and $4 Values, $2.85

WE OFFER for Friday's selling several hundred pair of women's 12 and 16 button length Gloves at a marked reduction—these are the $3.50 and $4.00 qualities—but the lines of sizes and colors are not complete—come in black, tan, brown, white, navy, green and coral pink—other shades are missing—on sale Friday, at per pair..... **$2.85**

All Gloves at $1.00 a pair and upward, packed in pretty Xmas box.

Have Your Eyes Fitted Correctly

MANY a pair of fairly good eyes have been ruined through wearing wrong glasses. Don't ruin yours. If they bother you, see our oculist at once. He has had years of practical experience in eye troubles and can tell you with exact knowledge whether you need glasses or not, and if so, prescribe the proper lenses.

14-karat Solid Gold Shell Eye Glasses, with standard lenses, **75c a pair.** Only one pair to each customer.

(Main Floor.)

Great Reduction on Unmade Robes

SPECIAL sale of Robes, in lace, spangled chiffon net, embroidered voile, embroidered cloth, crepe de chine, lingerie, Princess lace and Plauen lace; white, black and colors; many French models; trimmed with handmade lace and hand embroidery; slightly soiled from being on display; $35.00 to $50.00 values; at—

$10 and $15

(Main Floor.)

$1 American Lady Corsets, 75c

IF 25 cents is worth saving, see that you get one of the Corsets we offer tomorrow at this reduction. These are the celebrated American Lady Corsets, of splendid quality coutil; new high bust; long hips; front supporters; sizes 18 to 26; $1.00 values, and the price we name is an exceptionally low one..... **75c**

(Second Floor.)

Attractions in Our Dining Room Are:

Excellent Cuisine,
High-class Service,
Moderate Prices.

Have You Tried Our Special Friday Dinner?

Sea Food Table d'Hote

PRICE 50 CENTS.

Blue Points on Shell.
Radishes. Olives.
New England Fish Chowder.
Lobster Cutlets. Tartar Sauce.
Saratoga Chips.
Filet of Kennebec Salmon.
Sauce Fine Herbs.
Carmel Custards.
Coffee. Tea. Milk.

The Photo Studio

(On Fourth Floor in Annex) Is offering a number of beautiful finishes in Cabinet Photos at

$3, $4 and $5

A DOZEN.

Maids in attendance to assist women and children in their toilets.

Men Appreciate Neckwear, Etc.

EVERY man can always use a few more Ties, and those that are selected by his sweetheart, wife or sister are particularly desirable. You can't make a mistake in giving neckwear and such things.



(Main Floor.)

Men's Silk Neckwear, in all the popular shapes; wide and medium Four-in-Hands; lined or French fold; light and dark colorings; an immense assortment; splendid value at..... **50c**

Better qualities ranging in price up to **$2.50** each.

Men's Silk Suspenders, with elastic web in back; best quality kid ends; cast-off buttons; each pair in pretty box; worth 50c; at..... **35c**

Men's and Women's Long Reefer Mufflers, in light, fancy and solid colors; hemstitched ends; special **25c**

Men's Silk Reefer Mufflers, in white, black and all the new solid colors; also polka dots; hemstitched ends..... **50c**

Please Shop Early.

Books for Xmas Gifts

(Second Floor.)

Dainty Gift Books, 10c Each

Such beautiful and desirable Books for the holidays have never been seen before at such a price.

Beautifully Illustrated at 10c Each

A Christmas Token	Nearer, My God, to Thee
Rose Leaves	Abide With Me
Friendship Token	Lead, Kindly Light
Violets to Greet You	My Faith Looks Up to Thee
Forget-Me-Nots	Hark! The Herald Angels Sing
Thoughts for Companions	He Leadeth Me
A Psalm of Life	Jerusalem the Golden
Auld Lang Syne	Rock of Ages
The Village Blacksmith	Jesus, Lover of My Soul, etc.

For the Children, 10c Each

These books are illustrated in color.

Mother Goose	The Christmas Hamper
Stories From Grimm	A Letter to Santa Claus
Night Before Christmas	Little Women
Little Match Girl.	Holiday Stories, etc.

Some Beautiful Little Books at 15c

Cloth bound and illustrated in color.	In White and Gold.
The Enchanted Pearl	
Sinbad the Sailor	J. Cole
The Ice Maiden	Laddie
Ivanhoe	Miss Toosey's Mission, etc.

Art Needlework, Fancy Goods

VISIT this section on Second Floor and you'll find no end of pretty things suitable for gifts:

Large Cretonne Catch All Bags; splendid quality; pretty patterns and colorings; worth $1.00; at..... **75c**

Hand-Painted Glove and Handkerchief Boxes; celluloid top; crimped edges; tied with ribbon bows..... **25c**

Burnt-Wood Picture Frames; floral design; one and others with two openings... **49c**

Pin Cushions in round, square and long styles; hand-painted top; others embroidered top; also some of fancy net with net ruffles edged with lace; ribbon trimmed; special **$1.00**

Work Boxes, filled with assorted spools of silk, needles, darning cotton and scissors; special **50c**

Hemstitched Centerpieces of union linen; handdrawn work; in a variety of pretty designs; 36x36 inches; worth $1.39; at **$1.00**

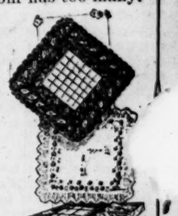
Pin Cushions in shape of animals, flowers and fruit; good variety of pretty designs **25c**

Fancy Baskets with celluloid lid; decorated with head designs; suitable for candy and trinkets **25c**

Please Shop Early.

Handkerchiefs Are Appropriate

BESIDES being appropriate for gift purposes, Handkerchiefs are always appreciated, as one seldom has too many.



Men's pure linen, hemstitched Handkerchiefs; ½-inch hem; per dozen, **$1.10**; each **10c**

Men's fine quality, pure linen, hemstitched Handkerchiefs; ¼ and ½-inch hems; six for **80c**; each **15c**

Men's fine linen, hemstitched and crossbar Handkerchiefs; medium and sheer qualities; hand embroidered initials; at, per box **$1.50**

Children's plain white, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with embroidered initials; ¼ dozen in picture box..... **15c**

Women's pure linen, unlaundered, hemstitched Handkerchiefs; hand-embroidered initials; wreath designs..... **10c**

Women's pure linen, hemstitched, embroidered and scalloped Handkerchiefs; special **15c**

Women's sheer linen, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with hand-embroidered initials and wreath designs; per box..... **85c**

Finest Mohair Rugs
At Reduced Prices

A BEAUTIFUL Mohair Rug makes a very desirable Christmas gift. Here's an opportunity to buy them at a remarkable saving—

Size	Regular Price	Reduced to
18x36 inches	$3.25	**$2.50**
24x48 inches	$6.50	**$5.00**
30x60 inches	$9.00	**$7.50**
36x72 inches	$12.50	**$10.00**

Colors are red, rose, tan and green.

Axminster Rugs; size 27x54 inches; splendid patterns; worth $2.50; at..... **$1.98**

Please Shop Early.

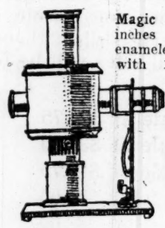
Tremendous Reductions on Our Finest Trimmed Hats

THE most remarkable sale of Trimmed Hats that has ever been held at Grand-Leader. We are not waiting until the season is over, but are cutting prices now, giving you a full season's wear of these hats. We offer you the largest and most magnificent of styles from which to choose. Our Paris models which have elicited no end of comment, our Tailor Hats from the Eastern designers, Pattern Hats, Model Hats and productions of our own workrooms are all included in this great sale. It's an opportunity to choose from an immense collection of exquisite millinery at less than actual cost of the materials.

$ 7 to $10 Trimmed Hats at $ 4
$10 to $12 Trimmed Hats at $ 6
$15 to $20 Trimmed Hats at $10
$25 to $35 Trimmed Hats at $15
$35 to $40 Trimmed Hats at $20
$45 to $60 Trimmed Hats at $25

Special Friday Offerings in "Toytown"—Fifth Floor

IN addition to this being St. Louis' greatest toy store, you will find it economical to buy here because our prices are absolutely the lowest. Every imported toy was selected by our own representative who went abroad for that purpose, and the prices we quote reflect the advantage in buying direct from the maker.



Magic Lantern; 12 inches high; red enameled, complete with 12 slides; showing 36 different pictures; special Friday at **$1.00**



Doll Go-Cart (as illustrated); steel tire wheels; on special sale Friday at..... **50c**



Loop-the Loop, with platform station; extra large size; special Friday..... **25c**



Swinging Horse; nicely painted and dappled; glass eyes **$2.75**



Elevated Train and Track; mechanical; 3 cars; regular price $1.69; special..... **$1.19**

Mechanical Train, with regulator and track; circular track; 3 cars, engine and tender; regular price $1.50; on special sale Friday at **$1.00**

Dressed Doll—Jointed body; 20 inches tall; beautifully gowned; hats to match; sleeping eyes; shoes and stockings; regular price $1.98; special Friday at **$1.25**

Jointed Doll—26 inches tall; full ball jointed body; large bisque head; center parted wig; sleeping eyes; shoes and stockings; worth $1.75; special..... **$1.25**

Jointed Doll—30 inches tall; large bisque head; center parted natural hair wig; sleeping eyes; shoes and stockings; regular price $4.50; special **$3.45**

Odd Portieres Worth From $8 to $12 a Pair; Each, $1.39

WE will place on sale Friday a manufacturer's accumulation of odd Portieres; about 200 in the lot. Beautiful mercerized and duplex Portieres with silk cord edge; some pairs in the lot; these are suitable for couch covers as well as door drapes; in a regular way they sell for $8.00 to $12.00 a pair; we offer the lot Friday, while they last, at, each, **$1.39**.

$1.39 **$1.39**

Tapestry Portieres; trimmed with side border of Scotch tapestry; two colors only; red or green; worth $5.00 a pair; on sale Friday.. **$2.50**

Tapestry Table Covers; 8-4 size; in floral or Oriental designs; deep rich colorings; fringed; several patterns; worth $3.50 each; at.. **$1.98**

Lace Bed Spreads of good quality net; trimmed with lace edge; large medallion in center of each; Lace Bolster Cover to match; worth $4.00; at..... **$1.98**

Lambrequin Drapes for mantels or pianos; of fine quality French sateen; double knotted fringe; several patterns; worth $1.00 each; at.. **59c**

Sale of Fancy Baskets Fourth Floor

OUR buyer while abroad secured a manufacturer's entire sample line of Fancy Baskets, comprising more than 1200 pieces, including Fancy Baskets of all kinds, Waste Paper Baskets, Glove Baskets, Handkerchief Baskets, Flower Baskets, Candy Baskets, Work Baskets, Sewing Baskets, Infants' Baskets, etc. It is without doubt the finest collection ever displayed in St. Louis. All arranged in groups and specially priced,

10c, 19c, 25c, 39c, 50c, 75c, $1 and up to $4.95

Women's $3 to $4 Shoes, $1.95

RAMSFELDER, ERLICH & CO., Cincinnati, sold us their overflow stock of Women's Shoes at **one-third off,** and we will place this purchase on sale tomorrow at a price that will clean out the lot in a hurry.



Every pair is this season's make; all leathers are represented, including gunmetal, patent colt and vici kid; lace, blucher and button; the styles are the very newest, and there are about 3200 pairs in all, including 500 pair of cloth top shoes; in the new college cut; $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 values on sale at **$1.95** a pair.

$1.95

(On Main Floor.)

Buy Sensible Gifts—Furniture For Example. A Pretty Rocker, Dressing Table, Writing Desk, Gentlemen's Wardrobes, Shaving Stands, Etc., Etc., are a Few of the Many Appropriate Things You May Select

$22.50 for This Beautiful Brass Bed, Worth $30.00



Extra heavy, continuous posts; lacquer guaranteed; large busks; reinforced tubing and well filled. 125 other Brass Beds, ranging in price from **$18.50 to $85.00**

Vernis Martin Gold and Mahogany Parlor Cabinets
Gold Reception Chairs
Curio Cabinets and Tables
Pedestals
Tabourettes
Mahogany Sewing Tables
Dressing Tables

Parlor Suites—3 and 5 pieces
Davenports
Cheval Mirrors
Shaving Stands
Bachelors' Wardrobes
Reed and Rattan Furniture
Chiffoniers
Couches, Divans

Princess Dressers (50 styles)
Library Tables
Library Bookcases
Combination Bookcase and Secretary
Parlor Tables
Odd Parlor Chairs
Music Cabinets

Rockers
Costumers
Ladies' Desks
Roman Chairs
Hall Chairs
Hall Mirrors
Hall Trees and Seats

Hall Clocks
Piano Stools and Benches
Brass and Iron Beds
Napoleon Beds
Sideboards and Buffets
Morris Chairs and Rockers

China Closets
Extension Tables
Medicine Cabinets
Cellarettes
Brass Costumers
Opera Dressers
Empress Dressers
Gibson Dressers

Special Kitchen Cabinet, Genuine Oak, at $9.98

IT'S the best value ever offered, made entirely of genuine white oak, finished richly in golden—brass trimmed—extra well made—large-size base and top—large cupboard, flour bin and two drawers in base and every possible convenience in top to make kitchen work light and a pleasure. Special at **$9.98.** Other Cabinets at **$3.98, $7.50, $8.75, $12.75, $15.00** and upwards.

Entire line of McDougal's famous Kitchen Cabinets sold by us. Recognized by everybody as the finest Kitchen Cabinets made in the world.

SEE our immense selection of Ladies' Desks, Combination Secretary Bookcases, Library Cases, etc.—just the things for a Holiday present.

Large size Desk; worth $10, at..... **$7.98**

Mahogany finish Desk; a beauty; at **$10.75**

Golden oak Combination Cases; swell glass door; a special at. **$12.75**

Mahogany finished Combination Case; a beautiful design..... **$18.50**

A very pretty double Library Case; golden oak or mahogany finish; highly polished; for **$16.75**



Desk (Like cut), **$4.98**

Powerful price inducements to visit the Bargain Basement Friday

Lace Curtains

WE received ten more cases of Single Lace Curtains from a manufacturer with whom we have a contract for their odds and ends, and will place the entire lot on sale tomorrow in the Basement.

Pretty Scotch and Nottingham Curtains; many pairs in the lot; ranging in value up to $4.50 a pair; at, each..... **49c**

WOMEN'S and Children's Fine Golf Gloves; in plain and fancy colors; worth 50c a pair; at..... **25c**

WOMEN'S and Children's All-Wool Golf Gloves; worth 35c a pair; at..... **19c**

Candy Special

Assorted flavor Buttercups; cocoanut center; regular price 25c a pound; on special sale Friday (in the Basement) at, per lb..... **12c**

Silk Remnants, 10c

PLAIN and novelty Silks of all kinds; suitable for fancy work, doll dresses, etc.; lengths of various sizes; at per remnant..... **10c**

Remnants. Dress Goods

SHORT lengths of all kinds of All-Wool Dress Fabrics; Henriettas, Serges, Silk and Wool Plaids, Panamas, Nun's Veilings, Suitings, etc.; from 38 to 54 inches wide; in colors, black and cream; worth up to $1.50 a yard, on sale at, per length..... **50c**

Remnants of Sheeting; extra heavy; Lockwood Mills; unbleached; 45 and 48 inches wide; lengths to 9 yards; worth 16c a yard; at..... **7½c**

New York Mills Sheets; ready-made; 54x90 inches; slightly imperfect; worth 60c each; on sale while they last, at..... **39c**

Remnants of White Swiss; fancy striped; 40 inches wide; worth 10c a yard; at..... **5c**

Remnants of Outing Flannelette; good quality; soft fleeced; worth 9c a yard; at, per yard..... **5c**

Remnants of Canton Flannels; bleached; worth 6½c a yard; at..... **3½c**

REMNANTS of Scotch Skirting Flannels; 32 inches wide; solid, striped and checked; part wool; worth 20c a yard; at..... **9c**

REMNANTS of Dress Sateens; 36 inches wide; solid black and colors; highly mercerized; worth 20c a yard; at..... **10c**

REMNANTS of Barnsley Crash Toweling; all linen; heavy quality; bleached; worth 12½c a yard; at..... **9c**

Plaid Skirting

PLAID Moreen Skirting; also black and white; suitable for skirts and ruffles. 49c quality; on sale at, per yard..... **25c**

3 O'Clock Special

FRIDAY at three o'clock we will place on sale 160 pieces of best quality, crepon finish and twill, fancy printed, fleeced Dress Flannelettes; stripes and figures; desirable for kimonos, shirt waists, etc.; mostly blue ground; worth 12½c a yard; at..... **5c**

REMNANTS of Flannelette; solid pink and light blue; soft fleece; 36 inches wide; 15c quality; per yard..... **10c**

REMNANTS of Scotch Plaids; fancy woven; bright colored; worth 12½c yd.; at **7½c**

Sample Corsets, 25c

EMPIRE Corsets; short, medium and long hip; with and without supporters; sizes 18 to 26; samples of 50c and 75c lines; on sale at..... **25c**

Hiawatha Bust, 49c



TOMORROW we will place on sale another lot of 250 cast Busts (as illustrated); 20 inches high; worth $1.50, (in Basement Salesroom), while they last, at

49c

SENATE OPPOSES CORTELYOU, BUT WILL CONFIRM

Leaders Call Him Unfit for Treasury, but "Roosevelt Is Responsible."

IS WITHOUT EXPERIENCE

Few, However, Have More Accurate Comprehension of the Government.

KEPT POOR BY SERVICE

President Thinks He Can Step From Treasury Into Good Business.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Postmaster-General George B. Cortelyou will be confirmed as Secretary of the Treasury within a few days. There is no disposition on the part of the Senate to refuse him confirmation, although there is a general feeling that the President has made a grave error in appointing Mr. Cortelyou to this supremely important position.

The Senate proceeds on the theory t the selection of Cabinet ministers he President is a purely personal for which he is alone responsi- nd that it would be discourteous nwarranted to interfere, no mat- what the individual or general pinion of the Senate may be as to the itness of the men named for Cabinet positions.

The Senate holds that it is no way responsible for the character or fitness of the men the President chooses for Cabinet positions, although the Constitution empowers it, if it sees fit, to refuse to confirm the appointments. The Senate places Cabinet ministers in the same category as the secretary to the President so far as its functions in opposition are concerned. It is held that the President can choose his own advisers, with the full knowledge that he is alone responsible for their fitness or unfitness, and with this view the nomination of Cortelyou will be confirmed unless the President withdraws it. There is no likelihood that he will withdraw it.

The Senate has gone through the form of referring the Cabinet nominations sent in Monday to the committees to which they should be referred, and in due time will report favorably on each nomination by a unanimous vote and confirm in the same way.

President's Error Seen.

Nevertheless, it is felt on both sides of the Senate chamber that the President has taken a step in the wrong direction by nominating Cortelyou, although it has been known for a year that Cortelyou was made Postmaster-General merely to wait until Secretary Shaw retired, when he was scheduled to take the treasury portfolio. The unfitness of Mr. Cortelyou for the treasury has often been discussed in the Senate.

The Senate has a full knowledge of his lack of financial experience, his political prominence as chairman of the Republican National Committee, his connection with the raising of the vast fund which was used in the election of President Roosevelt in 1904, his soliciting $148,000 from the great insurance companies and his soliciting and obtaining the fund from the corporations.

Many of the senators feel that Mr. Cortelyou is unfit for the place, but not one of them will go so far as to protest. Mr. Cortelyou has not yet resigned as chairman of the Republican National Committee. He will not take office as Secretary of the Treasury until March 4 next, and the understanding is that he will resign before that time and be succeeded by Col. Harry New of Indiana, who is now vice-chairman of the committee.

Mr. Cortelyou refuses to discuss his connection with the National Committee, but it is known absolutely that the reason he has not retired before this is because he has refused to let go while under fire.

Mr. Cortelyou held that he had a perfect right, as chairman of the National Committee, to solicit and take the contributions he did from the corporations and insurance companies, as he has no intention of making any restitution of the insurance money nor of saying anything about the matter. He is "standing pat," and his retention of the office of chairman merely emphasizes his determination to brazen it out.

His Comprehension Accurate.

Mr. Cortelyou has had no financial experience, although in justice to him it must be said that there are few men who have a clearer and more accurate comprehension of the functions of all the executive departments of the Government, including the Treasury.

The President is fond of Mr. Cortelyou with a personal affection that counterbalances any doubts he may have as to his fitness for the Treasury portfolio because of his inexperience in financial matters. He considers Cortelyou a great executive genius and speaks with admiration of his conduct of the campaign last fall.

Cortelyou is a poor man. He has had many opportunities to go into business, but has remained in the service of the Government at the request of President Roosevelt. The idea of the President is to make him Secretary of the Treasury, so that he will be able to step from that department into a business connection that will afford him a competence.

MINER CAUSES EXPLOSION.

Drops Burning Powder Into Box—One Killed.

HOUGHTON, Mich., Dec. 6.—Because a Finnish miner was careless with his lamp, William Goggin was killed and Dennis Shea, John Sullivan and John Handley were injured at the Quincy mine last night. Shea cannot live. The miner was splitting powder in his hand when hot grease fell from the lamp, firing it. He became frightened and dropped the powder, burning, into a box of powder which was fired and caught 14 other boxes. The explosion killed Goggin and threw Shea and Sullivan down the shaft 200 feet to the twenty-third level.

The shaft if badly damaged from the eighteenth to the twenty-fourth levels and operations are necessarily held up. Rescuing parties had great difficulty in bringing up the suffocating miners. Forty men of the night shift had gone down just before the explosion.



The May Co. The May Co. The May Co.

Charge Goods Now and Pay for Them Next February

We wish to further increase our charge business, and would ask responsible parties to open accounts at once. All goods bought during December will be charged to January account and bills will be rendered February, 1907.

Timely Sale of Holiday Gloves

Women's $4.50 Gloves at $3.75 — Women's 16 button French Kid Gloves, mosquetaire wrist; all sizes; 5½ to 7; in black and tan; regular price $4.50; specially priced at only..... 3.75

Women's $1.69 Gloves at — Women's extra good quality silk 16 button black fleece lined Gloves, all sizes; regular price $2.25, special, at..... 1.69

Men's $1.00 and $1.25 Gloves at 69c—A special sale of men's Gloves, silk lined Mocha and dog skin; all sizes; worth $1.00 and $1.25; Friday, pair..... 69c

Women's Gloves at $1.00—Women's 2 clasp extra good quality silk lined Silk Gloves and fine quality silk-lined cashmere; Kayser's best make; in black and colors; special, per pair..... 1.00

Boys' and Misses' Gloves at 69c—Boys' and misses' Silk lined Mocha Gloves, in tan and grey; sizes 2 to 8; regular price $1.00; special..... 69c



(First Floor.)

A Purchase of Infants' Sample Coats

A small lot which we bought at very small prices. They're long Coats for babies. The women who attend this sale will find exquisite garments wonderfully low priced.



$8.50 Cloaks, $4.99 — Handsomely trimmed with laces or embroideries and ribbon; worth $8.50; specially priced for this sale, at..... 4.99

$5.95 Long Cloaks, $3.69—Also of Bedford cord or cashmere, with soft finished mercerized lining, daintily trimmed in the pretty baby effects; $5.95 values; special at..... 3.69

$5.00 Cloaks, $2.89—Made of fine Bedford cord and lined throughout with mercerized sateen. Collar trimmed with laces and ribbons; specially priced at..... 2.89

$4.50 Long Cloaks, $2.48 — A lot of Long Cloaks of cashmere or Bedford cord, with deep capes of laces or embroideries. Worth $4.50—specially priced at..... 2.48

(Second Floor.)

Other Specials for Infants

Infant's 50c and 75c Caps at 25c—Made of soft China silk, in many different styles; some are embroidered and others in the plain French styles; 50c and 75c values; specially priced.. 25c

Children's $1.25 and $1.50 Dresses, 89c—Made of checked or pretty figured wool materials and lined throughout. They are slightly dust soiled from window display; sizes to fit children ages 2 to 4 years; worth $1.25 and $1.50; specially priced at only..... 89c

Infants' 75c and 98c Wear at 49c—Made of good quality cambric or nainsook, also flannelette petticoats, sacques, shawls, bootees, veils, mitts, hose, pillow cases, sheets, pads, stockinette diapers and stork pants; worth 75c and 98c; specially priced..... 49c

(Second Floor.)

Xmas Stationery Sundries at Moderate Prices

Eagle Fountain Pens, 14K gold points..... 1.00

Self-filling Fountain Pens, 14K gold points..... 1.50

Shaving Paper Pads, Dutch designs..... 10c

Bridge Whist Sets, consisting of two packs first quality playing cards and one score pad, conveniently packed in a neat leatherette case, price..... 1.00

Sterling Silver Movable Lead Pencils..... 25c

Telephone Registers..... 10c

Cigar Band Combinations—consisting of one 25c package assorted Cigar Bands, Felt for finishing, 1 25c 8-inch tray and bottle of transparent paste; the entire combination for only..... 39c

Thermometers—50c, 75c and $1.00 values, for outside or inside use..... 39c

Denison's Lunch Sets, consisting of cloth, 12 napkins, 12 doilies, set..... 25c

Postal Card Albums, neat bindings; hold 200 cards; special at..... 50c

Stereoscope and 25 scenic and comic views, special at..... 95c

Pedometers — gunmetal or nickel finish; $1.00 value, at..... 79c

Post Card Albums, slightly soiled, regular $2.00 and $3.00 value..... 1.50

Extension Book Racks, heavy brass fancy ends, $1.50 value, at..... 95c

Pearl Handle Sterling Silver Pens..... 50c

Paper Weights, figures of all sorts; a large assortment of designs..... 25c

Empty Holly Paper Covered Gift Boxes—Denison's make, in every size; 10c, 15c, 20c and..... 25c

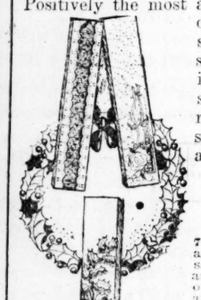
Denison's Holly Seals, postals, tags, labels, bells and paper novelties, in an endless variety, at prices, 5c, 10c and..... 25c

(First Floor.)

Men's Holiday Neckwear in Handsome Christmas Boxes

$1.00 English Fold Scarfs at 75c—3 inches wide; made with French seam and the English plaited shoulder. Positively the most attractive display attempted west of New York city. The wanted styles, shown at the most exclusive haberdashers; Roman stripes, in green, red, maroon and pearl; self-figured reds in a complete range of shades. special at..... 75c

An unlimited and desirable assortment of the above, each in a fancy Xmas box.



75c and $1.00 Neckwear at 55c—These are in every up-to-date pattern, in the same styles as are shown in our 75c and $1.00 stock; each put up one in a box; special at..... 55c

Men's 50c Scarfs at 39c—3000 Ties; every one a 50c value; French Four-in-Hands, 2½ inches wide, 48 inches long, in the most attractive box; choice at..... 39c

50c, 75c and $1.00 Underwear at 25c

1000 garments from our recent gigantic sale will be cleared out on Saturday at this one price. Underwear for Women and Children in this lot—winter weight Vests and Pants, Tights, etc.—also Shirts and Drawers for Boys. Your choice tomorrow at, per garment..... 25c

Doll Vests Free—Handsome little Doll Vests in white, blue or pink, FREE, while 1000 last, with every purchase of Women's and Children's Underwear.

(First Floor.)

China and Cut Glass for Xmas

For tomorrow's selling, we have marked every piece of Cut Glass in our stock at special prices. Come, choose your gift. Here are a few examples:



$6.00 Water Pitchers—rich, deep cutting..... 3.98

$4.00 Sugar and Cream Sets; handsome design 1.98

$3.50 Salad Bowls..... 2.69

$3.50 Water Bottles..... 2.48

Austrian China Dinner Sets, $15.

Austrian China Dinner Sets, full gold lined—Sets that dealers pay $15.00 for—complete 100-piece Sets tomorrow at only..... 15.00

$10.00 100-Piece Sets, $5.98—Our special 100-piece Set—floral decoration, full gold traced—every piece warranted not to craze—American semi-porcelain—a $10.00 value— special tomorrow at..... 5.98

Tumblers at 5c Each—2000 dozen bell-shape Tumblers—tomorow we engrave your initial on them FREE —price, per set of 6, 30c; each..... 5c

(Fourth Floor.)

Electroliers and Gas Portables

Our extensive assortment in Gas and Electric Portables enables us to meet every customer's wants. For tomorrow every lamp sold for $3.00 or over, will be fitted, complete, **FREE OF CHARGE**, with beaded fringe, 4½-inch length, any color. This special for one day only.

Jewelry, Leather and Fancy Goods for Xmas



Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets—Porcelain fancy decorated Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets, actual $2 value; specially priced at $1.25

Collar and Cuff Boxes — Octagon shape; alligator or grain finish; actual $1.35 value; specially priced at..... 89c

Jewel Cases—Like illustration; extra quality gold plate or oxidized silver; silk lined; actual $1.50 value; specially priced at 89c



Jeweled Hair Ornaments—Like illustration; in all the new effects; shell or amber; 50c and 69c values; speciallypriced at only..... 39c

Graduated Bead Necklaces — In jade, turquoise, pink and white; $1.00 values; specially priced for Friday's selling at 50c

Lap Writing Tablets—Of walrus or seal grain, with safety ink well..50c

Carmen Extension Bracelets — Gold plated, plain or chased; $1 value 59c

Link Cuff Buttons—In a large variety of patterns; in neat boxes; $1.00 values; specially priced 50c

Genuine Ostrich Feather Fans, with shell colors or celluloid sticks; $1.25 values; specially priced at 75c

Fancy Fans — Decorated in floral and conventional designs; decorated wood sticks; 50c values; specially priced at 25c



Sterling Silver Handle Manicure Files, Cuticle Knives, Tooth and Nail Brushes, and Shoe Hooks; 50c values special at 39c

Gold Bags—Like illustration; jeweled and fancy meshes; extra large size; actual value $2.50; specially priced at $1.00

Turkish Morocco Handbags—In all colors, leather lined; riveted frames; bag fitted with purse; $1.50 value; specially priced at $1.00

Sterling Silver Thimbles—Extra heavy; all sizes; 25c values..... 15c

Bracelets—Jeweled or plain, for women, misses and children; all fine quality roll plate; actual $1.00 and $2.50 values; specially priced at..... 50c

(First Floor.)

St. Louis' Greatest Store

The May Co.

Washington, Sixth and Lucas

A Sale of Furs As the Clim

TO fittingly wind up this eventful value-giving week, we announce for tomorrow a sale of Furs, which assumes gigantic proportions both from the point of comprehensiveness of selection and in the unusual nature of the price reductions. Every fur in this sale has been carefully selected, which insures you of their dependability.

$32.50 Electric Seal Coats, $23.75

This Coat is made of the finest quality electric seal; absolutely perfect, rare skins, without defect; lined with best grade Skinner's satin (guaranteed for 2 years); high storm collar and large revers, $35.00 values, special..... 23.75



Isabella and Sable Fox Scarfs

$17.50 values, specially priced at..... $11.50

$20.00 values, specially priced at..... $13.50

$25.00 values, specially priced at..... $15.00

$30.00 values, specially priced at..... $19.75

$40.00 values, specially priced at..... $25.00

$40 Sable Coney Eton Jackets, $25

Made of the very finest quality French sable coney, a most durable fur; Eton jacket effect, of the collarless style; fancy sleeves; fancy silk lining; elegant metal buttons; a $40.00 value, specially priced at..... 25.00

Genuine Brook Mink Sets at $7.50 —Styles of the very latest. Scarfs are four-in-hands, satin lined; all newest shapes; Muffs in large pillow style; specially priced at..... 7.50

$15.00 Australian Sable Coney Sets at $8.95—Of unusual beauty and wearing quality; rich chestnut brown muffs, immense pillow fashion, 6 extra long tails. Scarfs 6 ft. long; tail and head trimmed; specially priced at..... 8.95

$25.00 Genuine Black Lynx Sets, $13.50—This set made of best glossy fur, the tie in the four-in-hand style, the muff of the large pillow variety; special at..... 13.50

$50 Isabella and Sable Fox Sets, $35— This is a truly beautiful set, Scarfs are especially long; made of the best selected skins, in various shapes, cape effects, double fur scarfs, satin-lined scarfs, plain or trimmed with heads. The muffs are large pillow shapes, in a multitude of different stripes. A special bargain, this $50.00 value at..... 35.00

Silk Waist Patterns in Xmas Boxes

Figured Crepe de Chine, white backgrounds, pink, blue, yellow and old rose, floral patterns, also spotted, figured and coin dot designs; Pompadour Taffetas and Messalines, in fancy checks and beautiful plaids, 4 yards long. Neatly put up in a fancy box. Priced special at.. 2.50

85c Crepe De Chine, 44c

Another beautiful assortment of elegant quality Crepe de Chine, in all the latest street and evening shades; Nile, yellow, brown, lavender, cream, white, gray, black, reseda, pink, blue, etc., etc. Well worth 85c; special, yard... 44c

(First Floor.)

Waist Patterns

As a special for Holiday gifts, we will of Soie Pointelle Rayjure novelties, crossbar assortment includes every conceivable des up-to-date materials. Just the fabric for nicely boxed in a very pretty, specially a welcome and useful Holiday gift. Sp

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Continuing Sale of UMBRELLAS

Women's $1.50 Umbrellas, $1.00 —A special sale of Women's Umbrellas, piece-dyed taffetas, in a large assortment of handles, with taffeta case, silk cord and tassel; worth $1.50 specially priced at..... 1.00

Men's and Women's $2.50 to $3.00 Umbrellas at $1.69—Men's and Women's 26 and 28 inch good quality silk and linen Umbrellas, in a large assortment of Sterling silver trimmed handles; all warranted rainproof; $2.50 to $3.00 values; specially priced at..... 1.69

Women's Sample Umbrellas at $2.15—375 samples of Women's 26-inch good quality silk and linen Umbrellas, tape edge, seven-rib frames, in a large assortment of Sterling trimmed and also rolled gold plate handles; these are guaranteed for one year; regular price $3.00 and $3.50; specially priced at only..... 2.15

(First Floor.)

Plume Special

An odd lot of elegant plumes, mostly black, gathered from a season of active selling. Some are slightly out of curl, but they are all high-grade and are worth $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00. While this small lot lasts, we will offer them at..... 3.00

(Second Floor.)

A Great Purchase of Blank

$2.00 to $2.50 Comforts, $1.50—Made of figured sateen, extra large size, pure white cotton filled; new fancy stitching; worth $2.00 to $2.50 a pair; specially priced at, each..... 1.50

$5.00 Baby Comforts, $2.75 each—These are size 36x45 inch, made of the finest quality of silk, both sides; some are down filled; others with pure hygenic wool; worth $5.00 each; your choice..... 2.75

75c Blankets, 59c pair—Extra heavy Fleece Blankets, in white and gray, neat borders; in blue, pink and red; special, per pair, only..... 59c

$1.50 Blankets, $1.05—Extra quality Klondike Fleece Blankets, 11-4 size, in grey and white only; borders to match; per pair..... 1.05

$2.00 Blankets, $1.39 pair—Extra heavy double twilled 11-4 white Blankets, in blue borders only; this blanket is large size and weight; pair..... 1.39

$3.00 Blankets, $1.85 pair—10-4 extra heavy weight grey wool blankets, in borders to match; weight 4 pounds to the pair; special..... 1.85

$4.00 Blankets, $2.95 pair—Fine California white Blankets, 11-4 size, in red, blue and pink borders; wide silk binding; $4.00 value, per pair..... 2.95

$5.00 Blankets, $3.59 pair—11-4 size, white, grey and plaid, genuine Ohio wool Blankets; weight 5 lbs. to the pair; silk bound; special, pair..... 3.59

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Three Basement Bargains

$1.25 Spreads, 69c Each

These extra quality Marseilles pattern Spreads, in fine hemmed Crocheted Spreads; large double bed size; $1.25 value; special priced, each..... 69c

70c Sheets, 59c Each

Extra quality Bleached Sheets, hand torn and ironed; size 81x90; worth 70c; specially priced at..... 59c

15c Shirtings, 9c Yd.

Nothing nicer for children's wear, men's shirts and women's dresses, 36 inches wide, corded madras, in white ground, neat effects; 15c value, yard..... 9c

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The Wash Goods Section room for Holiday good Second Floor, where yo

25c Japanes

These beautiful fabrics com in the newest Japanese desi ideas; ideal fabrics for sacques, etc.; worth 25c, sp per yard.....

25c Shirting

Up-to-date, neat designs, in cloth, for men's shirts and waists; extra width; 25c yard.....

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OUR BIG BASEMENT "TOYLAN

There are shows to the right—shows to the left. Here are Trains flying across switches and through tunn six-room Doll House. Everything imaginable to keep up a continuo us performance. A living Santa Cla



Flyer Sled—Finished in natural oak, varnished and striped; iron runners; specially priced at..... 98c

Air Rifle; single shot; modeled after the latest target rifle; nickel plated; has walnut stock; price..... 69c

Cycle Wagon—Iron body, nicely painted and striped; adjustable seat and steering attachment; regular $3.25 value, special at..... 2.89



Swing Horse; large lifelike carved body, hair, mane and tail; strong base; painted red; regular $6.98; special at 4.98

Boys' Tool Chest; filled with tools; has extra tray; price..... 25c

Wooly Sheep, on platform with wheels; special at..... 48c

Rolling Chimes; wire handles; bright lithographed rollers; special..... 25c

Pool Tables; built along same lines as large table; complete with bridge, cues and balls..... 9.98

Toy Horse, on platform; 19 inches high; with four wheels; plush-covered body; some dappled; nicely trimmed with saddle and bridle; regular $1.25 value; special at..... 98c

Humpty Dumpty Circus; the best toy and most interesting for young and old; absolutely unbreakable; 3-piece set.. 49c

Folding Doll Go-Carts; steel tire. Large sets at $1, $1.25 and $1.50, wheels; green gear; varnished seat; metal handlebar; regular $1.25 value; special at.. 98c

Rubber Football; large size; with brass key; price..... 48c



Child's Tea Set; nicely decorated; ent china; regul special at.....

Child's Rocker; nished; extra l regular $1.25 v cially priced at

ix of Record-Breaking Week



THE sale meets demands, not only of women who need furs for the long winter ahead, but for those who wish to use the sale for gift-giving purposes. Nothing could be more useful and would be more acceptable than a set of furs. There are many charming styles to choose from—pieces to suit any purse. Please read the items carefully.

$75.00 Sealette Coats, $49.50

A coat of very finest sealette, a new fur of astonishing beauty and perfect wearing quality; lined with Skinner's best satin, in brown or fancy; blouse style, large storm collar, cuffs and revers of sable squirrel; a $75.00 value, which we have specially priced at..... **49.50**

Remarkable Reductions in Other Fur Coats

$50.00 Electric Seal Coats, blouse effect, at..... **$32.50**
$60.00 Near Seal Coats, blouse and tight effects, at. **$37.50**
$85.00 Near Seal Coats, genuine mink collar, revers and cuffs..... **$62.50**
$75.00 Sable Squirrel Coats, box effect..... **$55.00**
$100 Sable Squirrel Coats, blouse, Eton and tight effects..... **$75.00**
$150.00 Sable Squirrel Coats, a beautiful fancy coat, trimmed with heads and tails, priced at..... **$99.50**

$75.00 Genuine Mink Sets, $49.50

Scarfs in various shapes, trimmed with heads and tails or plain Throw Scarfs; Muffs in the popular pillow shape, square or shield, plain or trimmed with heads and tails; a genuine $75.00 set, priced at... **49.50**

$10 Jap Mink and Sable Neck Scarfs at $4.95—Square tabs, round tabs, standing collar effects, short, medium and long Scarfs and Throws; lined in fine, soft satin to match; some trimmed in ornaments..... **4.95**

$85.00 Isabella Fox Sets at $50.00—As a rich Xmas present, this set is just the thing, made of the very finest selected American Isabella fox skins, the 3-skin variety, trimmed with large heads and tails and claws. The muffs are pillow shapes of immense size, trimmed with a beautiful head. Don't miss this beautiful $85.00 set, which we have specially priced at only..... **50.00**

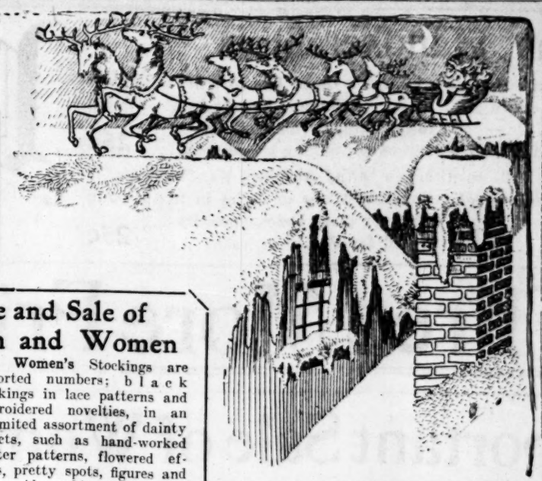
$40.00 Jap Mink Sets, $23.75—Beautiful 14 stripe extra large pillow muffs, with draw cords; an extra large assortment of Neck Scarfs, with the throw, butterfly and Zaza shapes; $40 value—at..... **23.75**

$40 Isabella and Sable Fox Sets, $25—Scarfs of double or single fur; satin lined, with tail and cord fastenings; beautiful three, four and five extra large size; $40 value—priced at..... **25.00**

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Great Musical Act in Our Restaurant

Haile, Wills and Haile have been entertaining thousands of diners. The Mirambophone and the great giant Aluminum chimes are wonderfully ingenious instruments with which Haile, Wills and Haile produce high-class music of an unusual nature. Every day—12 to 2 p. m. on the Fifth Floor.





Great Purchase and Sale of Hosiery for Men and Women

What could be more opportune for holiday buying than this special lot of Men's and Women's Imported Hosiery, secured by us specially for those wishing an appropriate Xmas gift.

The Hosiery we offer in this sale are high-grade Holiday novelties — 50c, 75c and $1.00 qualities.

The Women's Stockings are imported numbers; black stockings in lace patterns and embroidered novelties, in an unlimited assortment of dainty effects, such as hand-worked cluster patterns, flowered effects, pretty spots, figures and dots. Also white lisle stockings, daintily embroidered opera length stockings. The qualities range to $1.00 in value; all priced special at..... **29c**

The Men's Hose embrace solid patterns, in new colors, with nobby embroidered figures, also Scotch plaids in up-to-date effects; unlimited assortment of fancy Jacquard patterns; also Black Lisle Hose, in embroidered effects; worth $1.00; your choice, per pair..... **29c**

(First Floor.)

Men's $2 and $2.50 Sample Slippers, at $1.49

600 pair of Men's Slippers; samples from the greatest slipper manufacturing firm in Haverhill, Mass. At the end of this season, they sold to us at 40 per cent discount. Just at the time when you want them for Xmas presents. Hardly any two pairs alike. A greater variety of patterns and styles than any retail stock contains. The sizes are 7, 8 and 9; just the average men's sizes.

$2.50 Tan Kid Romeos at...
$2.50 Vici Kid Romeos at...
$2.50 Chocolate Vici Operas at.....
$2.50 Imitation Seal Operas at.....

Choice 1.49 Pair

For $2.00 Vici Kid Nullifiers
For $2.00 Wine Goat Operas
For $2.00 Imitation Walrus Operas.
For $2 Wine Calf Everetts.



Men's Cavaliers—In black, vici kid and tan goat, with collar top; sizes 6 to 11; especially priced at, per pair..... 3.00

Men's Walrus Operas—In handsome dark shades; sizes 6 to 11; per pair..... 2.50

Men's Seal Opera, in tan and dark brown; sizes 6 to 11, per pair..... 2.00

Men's Operas and Everetts, in fine vici kid, turn soles; sizes 6 to 11..... 1.25

Boys' Romeos, in black and tan vici kid; these are hard to find; sizes 1 to 5½; specially priced, pair... 1.50

Boys' Opera Slippers, in black and dark tan vici kid; sizes 1 to 5½..... 1.00

Little Boys' Red and Black Romeo Slippers; very cute; sizes 8½ to 11, $1.00; sizes 6 to 8, per pair..... 85c

Men's Bedroom and Bath Slippers, in crash and velvet; all sizes, per pair..... 49c

Women's Felt Romeos; the old standby Christmas present; in red, green, brown and black; special, per pair..... 1.00

Infants' Felt Shoes—Ribbon trimmed; very dainty; sizes 2½ to 5; pair..... 59c

(Main Floor.)

SHORTAGE PAID BY CORONER'S CLERK

Geo. L. Gershon Paid $118.80 to His Successor Under Protest.

BOOKS JUST BALANCED

Discrepancy Said to Be in Bookkeeping and No Reflection on Gershon.

George L. Gershon, a former clerk in the Coroner's office, who was discharged Oct. 11 for political reasons, Thursday straightened out a tangle in the accounts of the office by paying $118.80.

Gershon made this payment under protest, saying he did not owe the office anything.

Deputy Coroner Lloyd told a Post-Dispatch reporter that Gershon left the office suddenly when he was discharged, and did not know just how he stood in his accounts, is guiltless of any wrongdoing.

Gershon said: "There is now no discrepancy in the office and if any has existed it has been adjusted to the satisfaction of all persons concerned. I was always perfectly willing and able to straighten out the accounts, and only waited until they were checked to do so."

One source of income to the Coroner's office is the sale of certified copies of evidence. The charge is 45 cents a typewritten page. When evidence is sold a slip is attached to it certifying its accuracy, and these slips are numbered. When one was issued by Gershon he placed a memorandum of it and the amount due in the cash drawer. The drawer contained such slips, with cash and checks, when he left the office.

Gershon contends that the amount of the discrepancy is owed to the office by firms that have not paid for transcripts.

The books were not checked until after the recent election, in which Coroner Baron was victorious, and a new clerk was not appointed until then. When the difference between the cash and the memoranda was discovered Gershon was notified.

The dismissal of Gershon was due to the factional fight in the Republican City Central Committee. He sided with the minority, and Chairman Howe insisted that he should be ousted from the Coroner's office. Dr. Baron complied. Baron is now hunting at Big Lake, Ark.

MAIL WOOER DISAPPOINTS.

Macon Girl Changes Mind on Meeting Suitor.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6.—Miss Flo Weston of Macon, Mo., today returned home with her father, who came to Kansas City to thwart his daughter's plan to marry a man she had seen but once.

Miss Weston was at the Union Station Tuesday morning and asked Fred Meyers, a caller, to assist her in finding a man with whom she had corresponded after reading an advertisement in a matrimonial journal. She got away from home under the pretense of coming to Kansas City to visit her married sister. The man she was to meet was Oscar Martin of Laredo, Tex., and he had agreed to arrive in Kansas City Monday morning. The caller announced through the megaphone that Oscar Martin was wanted at the Bureau of Information. There was no response the first time, but another effort brought the young man to the window, where, without an introduction, the young persons recognized each other.

The young woman was disappointed, however, and before leaving the depot for the home of her sister stated that she would not marry Martin. He was evidently a farmer. Miss Weston finally decided to take him to her sister's home and have her explain that it would be impossible to carry out the marriage agreement. She threw herself on the tender mercies of her sister, who promptly sent the young man away and wired her father to come for the girl. She returned home, after explaining that she had lots of fun and if the young man had not been so impossible she would have married before there could have been any interference.

GRADUATION DAYS SET.

Exercises at Yeatman, Central and McKinley Jan. 24-25.

Graduation exercises of St. Louis high schools will be held Jan. 24 and 25 next. The exercises of the Yeatman will be held in the auditorium of the school on the evening of Jan. 24. The exercises of the Central will be held the following morning at the Odeon. In the afternoon the exercises of the McKinley will be held at the Odeon. The dates were set at a meeting Wednesday afternoon of the Committee on Instruction of the School Board.

A suggestion to name one of the new buildings now being erected John Eyser, in honor of the founder of the old German-American Institute, has been taken under advisement. It has been arranged to spend $550 for a St. Louis school exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition.

HOUSTEN CONVICTED.

Verdict of Manslaughter Ends Trial in Belleville.

The jury in the case of Edward Houston, charged with the murder of William Gaines, on Feb. 27 last, returned a verdict of manslaughter Thursday at Belleville. The penalty is an indeterminate sentence of from one to fourteen years. Sentence is withheld pending the motion of Houston's attorneys for a new trial.

Houston testified that on the date of the shooting he met Gaines in Burden's saloon on Missouri avenue, East St. Louis. He said that Gaines called him a bad name and slapped him in the face. Houston said that he was stunned by the blow, and fearing that Gaines would kill him, drew his pistol and fired to protect himself.

PARKER'S SECRETARY FREE.

Alleged Wives Fail to Appear Against Him.

OSWEGO, Kan., Dec. 6.—Eugene C. Bagwell, charged with bigamy, was freed in the District Court here yesterday, neither of his alleged wives being present to testify against him. Alleged wife No. 1 of Morrilton, Ark., who was complainant in the case, failed to appear when the case was called, and by the defendant's agreement to pay all court costs and the expenses of officers of the county who have been pursuing him for the last three years, he was discharged.

The woman claiming to be wife No. 3 lives in Vinita, I. T. She is said to have lived with him only a few days. Bagwell is 28 years old, and his father, who is a prominent minister, has been here with him since he has been in Jail. Bagwell took a late train for New York, where Judge Alton B. Parker, for whom he had been private secretary, had promised him a place again as soon as he was a free man.

Holiday Boxes

...ery handsome Waist Patterns in the new ...in Madras and Jacquard effects. This ...nd pattern, in the very newest and most ...new waist ideas. These are ...d Xmas box, and will make ... priced at..... **1.00**

Dress Patterns in Pretty Xmas Boxes

As a special Holiday feature, we will offer elegant Silk Chiffon Voiles, Silk-warp Eoliennes and Chiffon Cloths, in satin stripes, embroidered dots, brocades, plain colors and checks; also some shadow checks and embroidered figured Thibet Cloths; eight yards to a pattern, 46 inches wide, all specially priced as a great Holiday bargain at..... **½ Price**

39c Scotch Plaids 19c

A very unusual special of Scotch Plaids, 36 inches wide, in red, green, white and blue combinations. An admirable material for Waists and Children's Dresses; worth 39c a yard; specially priced for Friday at, per yard..... **19c**

(First Floor.)

Books as Xmas Gifts; Always Bound to Please

Burt's Home Library—In neat cloth bindings, gilt top, comprising all the standard authors; over 700 titles to choose from..... 45c

Popular Fiction and Rebound Copyrights—Originally sold in the $1.50 editions; titles such as "The Sea Wolf," "The Spenders," "The Man on the Box," "The Call of the Wild" and many others; per volume..... 49c

Peter Tecter Stories—A most popular book; American nursery rhymes, with bright and catchy verses, with delightful pictures; beautiful lithographed cover in colors; 59c values, at.... 48c

Painting Pastimes—A combination of painting and drawing; is a charming book for children, not only as a pastime, but a good, practical lesson in drawing and painting; just the book for a child; bound in heavy board, with cover designs in bright colors; these books in different sizes and styles, including a box of assorted colors, crayons or box paints, at..... **35c**

Peck's Bad Boy—Abroad; a very funny book, written among the whirl of travel; every line a laugh; with comic illustrations; special..... 50c

Peck's Bad Boy—Only complete edition, bound in cloth, with large and readable type; specially priced at.. 39c

The Life and Troubles of Mr. Bowser, giving a full account of this very much abused husband; bound in cloth; special, per volume..... 45c

Remarks by Bill Nye—One of the greatest books of humor; a selection of the works of this noted humorist; at..... 45c

Story of the Wild West and Campfire Chats by Buffalo Bill—A full and complete history of this renowned pioneer, giving a full description of his daring adventures and hair-breadth escapes; well bound; printed in good type..... 50c

Ridpath's History of the United States—By this great American historian; a book that every American should have, giving a full account of the progress of American civilization; bound in cloth..... 1.08

(First Floor.)

...s and Comforts for Xmas!

...00 Blankets, $3.59 pair—11-4 fine California Blankets, in white, pink, blue and red border; also a few pair of plaid blankets; these are silk bound; worth $5.00; specially priced, per pair..... **3.59**

...00 Comforts, $3.50—Finest French sateen covered, pure down filled Comforts; special, at only..... **3.50**

...75 Comforts, $4.50—Hygienic wool Comforts; covered with fine quality silk; filled with pure wool, all in one piece; special..... **4.50**

...50 Down Comforts, $7.00—In beautiful designs, figured silks, filled with pure odorless down; size 6x6; special, only..... **7.00**

(Basement.)

$3.00 Blankets, $2.19 pair—10-4 very fine white California Blankets, soft finished, in red and blue borders with wide silk binding; worth $3.00 a pair; specially priced at, per pair..... **2.19**

$15.00 Comforts, $9.00—Beautiful silk and satin covered down Quilts, in exclusive patterns; size 6x7; special at..... **9.00**

$19.00 Comforts, $13.75—Covered with beautiful quality silk and satin, wide satin borders; double stitched; down filled; special..... **13.75**

$25.00 Comforts, $14.25—Down filled; these are covered with heavy brocade silks, and have 9 inch satin border to match the designs..... **14.25**

(Basement.)

...Specials

...been moved to make ...They're now on the ...l find these bargains.

...repe, 15c
...36 inches wide and are ...displaying real Oriental ...nos, dressing **15c**

...adras, 15c
...ideal soft finish, madras ...omen's shirt- ..., per **15c**

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Three Basement Bargains

8c Outings, 5c Yd.
Good quality light and dark ground Outing Flannels, checks and stripe patterns; special, per yard..... **5c**

12½ Ginghams, 5½c Yd.
The best grade in plain blue; 2 shades, also tan and green, these come in neat Jacquard effects; worth 12½c; specially priced at, per yard..... **5½c**

10c Outings, 8½c
The best quality of Outing Flannel, in both light and dark grounds; in stripes, checks and plaids; special, per yard..... **8½c**

Women's Holiday NECKWEAR

100 dozen Linen Stocks, specially priced for Friday. Linen Stocks, English eyelet Embroidery, copies of the real French hand-embroidery; worth 50c; specially priced for Friday's selling, each..... **15c**

Crepe de Chine Auto Scarfs, white, pink, blue, Nile and helio, heavy quality, 22 inches wide and two yards long; worth $2.25; special at.. **1.50**

Neckwear in Holiday Boxes

A complete line of Stock Collars in Chiffon, trimmed with narrow braid and Venise bands and edged with ruching. Also tailored Silk Stocks with hemstitched linen turnovers. Many other styles, with and without tabs. Also Crepe Lisse Ruching, yard lengths, in handsome holly box. Regular 50c values; special at..... **25c**

(First Floor.)

Veiling Special

Here is a very timely special, in as much as that Veilings are growing steadily in popularity. For Friday we will offer Imported French Chantilly Lace Veils, 1½ yards long, in black and brown. These veils are worth $1.25; special at..... **75c**

(First Floor.)

Sale of Overcoats

Little Boys' $3.50 Overcoats at 1.75

On sale Friday only. Boys' fine little Overcoats, of good quality melton cloth, in Oxford grey, black and dark brown mixtures. 2 rows of buttons; cut in the long styles. Sizes 3 to 7; worth $3.50; special at 1.75



Boys' K. & E. and K. & S. Sample Blouse Waists, worth 75c, $1.00 and $1.25; specially priced for Friday only..... 25c

Boys' 20c Suspenders—All colors, Friday only..... 8c

Big Boys' Sweaters—All wool; all colors; worth $1.50; special at..... 85c

Little Boys' Sweaters—All wool and in all colors; Friday only..... 59c

FREE—With every garment at $5.00 or more, a genuine Ingersoll Watch or Rugby Football. With every garment at $2.50 or more, a Waterman Fountain Pen, pair of Steel Roller Skates or a pair of Adjustable Stilts. With every purchase in Boys' Clothing or Furnishings, a Piqua Bow and Arrow.

(Third Floor.)

Sale of Fancy Goods

As a special feature for this department Friday, we offer a lot of Lace and Ribbon-Trimmed Pin Cushions, in all colors, a very remarkable value at..... **25c**

Rafia Trinket Boxes—Painted chiffon covers, in fancy shapes..... 25c

Cretonne Handkerchief or Work Bags—Hoop handles or draw cord; 39c value; specially priced at..... 25c

Union Linen Art Squares—8x20 inches, with fancy drawn borders; worth 39c; specially priced at..... 25c

Hatpin Holders—Ribbon-Trimmed Glass Hatpin Tubes, all colors..... 1.25

Washable Dolls—Made of the celebrated "Bear" brand yarns; in all colors; just the thing for the baby; special at..... 25c



Fancy Pillow Skins—Ready for use; made of tapestry or braided art ticking; tinted in all colors; special at..... 50c

(Third Floor.)

Xmas Candy Specials for Friday

Chocolate Dipped Peanut Wafers—A new confection for Friday. A fine crisp candy, filled with the very best peanuts and covered with chocolate; worth 40c; specially priced per pound..... **20c**

A XMAS NOVELTY—A bank filled with Jelly Beans; worth 15c; special, each..... **7c**

25c Buttercups, per pound..... 15c
25c Peanut Kisses, per pound..... 15c

(First Floor.)

...IS ONE ROUND OF PLEASURE

...—there are Clowns swinging from trapeze. Here's a wonderfully handsome Dolly, and over there is a ...enerally has some Souvenirs to give away. Make his acquaintance tomorrow.



...ces; full size; ...hite transpar- ... set; **98c**

...olid oak; var- ...e size; strong; ...; spe- **98c**

Mather's Ball Game; entirely new; this game you hit the ball, "run the men," "strike out," "steal bases," "make double plays," "home runs," etc.; in fact, you can play almost every point the same as on the diamond. Approved by all fans to be the only baseball game that can be played as on the field; price..... **2.48**

Shoo-Fly Rocking Horse; finished in natural color; painted harness design; specially priced at..... **50c**

Combination Moving Picture Machine and Magic Lantern; body made of Russia iron; has good lamp, a powerful lens, extension focusing attachment, 3 films and 4 dozen slides; in box; $5.00 value; specially priced at only..... **3.98**



Enameled Bed; has woven wire spring mattress; easily taken apart and folded; priced..... **50c**

Brass Doll Bed; has woven wire spring mattress, can be taken apart and folded flat; price..... **1.50**

Doll House; nicely lithographed, in natural effect; large and roomy size; specially priced at..... **98c**



Automobiles and Racing Cars

$5.00 Automobiles, $3.50—½-inch rubber-tired wheels, tricycle propelling gear, auto steering attachment, enameled gear and bright-finished box; regular $5.00 value, special at..... **3.50**

Irish Mail—Rubber-tired wheels, elegantly lithographed decorations; enameled gear; regular $5.50 value, special at..... **4.98**

A Timely Sale of Holiday Handkerchiefs



Men's Linen Handkerchiefs—Men's pure Irish Linen Hemstitched Kerchiefs, full size, ⅛, ¼, ½ and 1-inch hems, 20c values, specially priced, 6 in a box for 75c, or, each..... **12½c**

Children's Fancy Boxed Handkerchiefs—½ dozen misses' plain white, all pure linen; Boys' colored borders; per box..... **25c**

Women's Kerchiefs at 6 for 55c—Women's all pure Irish linen, fine sheer hand-embroidered initials; choice of two styles; plain block letter and initial with embroidered wreathing and bow-knot; especially priced at 6 for..... **55c**

Women's Irish Linen Kerchiefs at 15c—500 dozen special for Friday. Women's fine sheer Irish Linen Hemstitched handkerchiefs, in all width hems; worth 25c, priced special, each..... **15c**

(First Floor.)

Women's 15c Kerchiefs, 10c Each—Swiss embroidered and lace edge Handkerchiefs, about a hundred different styles to choose from; worth 15c; specially priced, each..... **10c**

Women's Kerchiefs at 25c—Fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, an immense assortment; also linen centers with Val. lace trimmings; worth 35c and 50c, at..... **25c**

Youths' Hemstitched Embroidered Initial Kerchiefs — ¼-inch hem, half laundered, but if laundered and boxed would be worth double; each..... **5c**

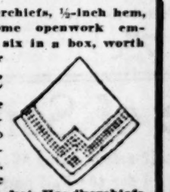


FREE—A pretty Xmas Box with every kerchief purchase of 50c or over.

1000 dozen Men's Handkerchiefs, ½-inch hem, fully laundered; handsome openwork embroidered initial; put up six in a box, worth $1.00; specially priced for Friday only..... 60c

Kerchiefs at 15c—Fine sheer linen, French embroidered corners; also hemstitched with embroidered borders; worth 25c, specially priced at..... **15c**

Men's Silk and Linen Pocket Handkerchiefs—In white and fancy colors; 50c values, specially priced for Friday's selling, each..... **25c**



The May Co.

Washington, Sixth and Lucas.

Holiday Handkerchiefs

Five hundred dozen Women's Sample Handkerchiefs, an importer's entire line, all kinds, value up to 50c each, on sale at..... 25c

One thousand dozen Men's All-Linen White Hemstitched Initial Handkerchiefs, one-half dozen in a fancy box, Friday at, per box..... 1.00

Children's Linen Handkerchiefs, in plain white, colored hemstitched, colored initials, plain white initials, in fine boxes, Friday at, per box..... 25c

Men's Initial All-Linen Handkerchiefs, in the largest line of styles in this city, in fancy or plain boxes, specially priced for Friday at, each..... 25c

Wm. Barr Co. ST. LOUIS

Housekeeping Linens

Two hundred and fifty Table Cloths, pure Irish linen Damask, border all around; size 2x2 yards, $2.25; size 2x2½ yards, $2.95; size 2x3..... 3.50

Lunch Cloths, hand hemstitched, made of double Damask, size 36x36 inches, regular $2.00 value, on sale Friday at each..... 1.25

Hemstitched Sets, consisting of cloth and napkins, made in Ireland, in beautiful box especially for Christmas; prices range from $5.50 per set to.... 12.50

Eyelet Embroidered Pieces, the real Maderia work, excellent value. Prices range from 50c each to.. 40.00

Only Three More Fridays Till Christmas; Time Flies Fast

Most Important Sale of Women's Coats

TWO THOUSAND high-class coats for women, in the styles most approved for fall and winter—many of them exclusive Barr creations—will be offered tomorrow and Saturday at prices which mean most extraordinary savings.

Kersey and Montagnac Coats. 50 inches long, elaborately trimmed collars and cuffs, plain sleeves, semi-fitting effects; special sale price..... 10.00

300 New Broadcloth Coats, made in full length and loose fitting effects, very smart styles, and exceptionally well tailored, lined with pure silk and trimmed with braid and velvet; special price, each..... 15.00

Long 50-inch Coats, of Kersey Cloth, in light weights, either loose or semi-fitting effects, collars and cuffs; handsomely trimmed; excellent lining and splendidly tailored; $18.50 values for... 12.50

50-inch Tight-Fitting Coats, made of superior quality of broadcloth, lined with satin and interlined with flannel. The styles and the tailoring are of the highest class, and the coats are most extraordinary values at..... 16.50

Women's handsome Velour Coats, lined with fine satin, collars and cuffs prettily trimmed with velvet; full 60 inches long; especially smart styles; sale price, each..... 22.50

Handsome Imported Blouse Velour Coats, and 22-inch semi-fitting effects, lined with white Peau de Cygne, elaborately trimmed with velvet and buttons..... 35.00

Other Imported Velour, 50-inch Coats, in semi-fitting and loose effects, elaborately trimmed with braid and ornaments; silk lined; $45.00, $57.50 and..... 65.00

$40.00 "Wooltex" Coats, $25.00

This great sale still continues. New shipments have arrived to replace broken lines, and tomorrow the assortment of styles and sizes will be fully as complete as at any time during the sale.

"Wooltex" styles are designed in Paris. "Wooltex" fabrics are tested by acids to prove them pure wool. "Wooltex" lining is of pure silk, and the interlining of fine flannel. The variety of styles is so great that every woman can find just the garment to her liking. Sale continues tomorrow and Saturday..... 25.00



Christmas Books

OUR Book Section is truly a wonderful place—everything that is wanted at Christmas time is here, fresh from the publishers. Fairy Stories for the little tots, and stories for their older brothers and sisters—Fiction, History, Biography, Travel—the World's masterpieces. Our stock of books in sets is so complete that all the noted authors are represented in several editions.

Dickens' complete works, in 14 volumes, published at $10.80, for..... $4.50
Dumas' complete works, in 12 volumes, published at $10.80, for..... $4.50
Thackeray's complete works, in 10 volumes, published at $8.00, for..... $3.50
Eliot's complete works, in 8 volumes, published at $6.00, for..... $2.75
Shakespeare's complete works, in 39 volumes, published at $12.50, for..... $3.90
History of the Boer War, in 2 volumes, published at $10.00, for..... $3.00
Recollections of the Private Life of Napoleon, published at $6.00, for..... $2.00
The Century Magazine for 1905, in 2 volumes, for..... $1.85

THE Flower Series of White and Gold Booklets—about fifty titles in all, such as "Abide With Me," "Lead, Kindly Light," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "Excelsior," "Forget Me Not," "Village Blacksmith," "Psalm of Life," "Rosebuds." "Thoughts for Every Day." About forty others, beautifully printed in colors with illustrations, specially priced for Friday at, each, **10c.**

The Chatterbox Circus, for children.. 50c
The Chatterbox Zoo..... 50c
The Chatterbox Wild West..... 50c
The Chatterbox Natural History.... 50c
The Chatterbox for 1906..... 85c
The Five Little Peppers and How They Grew..... 25c

Boys' and Girls' Books by Henty, Alger, Marryatt and others, about one hundred titles, very special at, per copy, **19c.**

Sale of Robes

We place on sale tomorrow twenty-five fine quality Net Robes, trimmed with ruffles and Juby, in white and colors, very suitable for Christmas gifts; regular $6.50 value Friday, for..... $3.75

Semi-made Robes of Wash Blonde, trimmed with insertions of Valenciennes lace, three ruffles on flounce, full size and latest model, regular $15.00 value, Friday, for..... $9.00

Toys, Dolls and Games

ALMOST half a city block devoted to the Toy Store, and half a million bright beautiful toys, dolls and games are filling every nook and cranny of it. The Christmas things are ready, and by buying your presents now you secure the advantage of selecting from complete assortments.

Games

Regular 25c A B C and Picture Blocks; twelve and sixteen blocks in a box; on sale Friday at..... 15c

Nested A B C Blocks; regular 25c value; Friday for..... 20c

The regular $1.80 Game of Chevy Chase for 29c. This is a high-class, interesting game, similar to parchesi; has a folding black cloth covered board, with box of implements. This game was published to sell at $1.00; in order to close out the publishers entire stock we offer it Friday at..... 29c

A fine assortment of large size games, such as Red Riding Hood, The Little Cowboy, Golf, Waterloo. These are regular 50c games, but we offer them Friday for..... 25c

Card Games—ranging in price from 10c to.. 50c

The game of Pillow Dex, two sizes, 25c and.. 45c

The game of Lotto, a dozen styles to select from, 25c to..... 75c

Checker Boards, complete with checkers, etc., from 19c to..... $2.95

Two large booths, devoted exclusively to Games and Blocks of all kinds; an immense assortment from which to choose.

Toys Specially Priced for Friday



Automobiles, like illustration, specially priced for Friday at..... $3.75



Dolls Folding Go-Carts—regular 75c value; Friday for..... 38c

Wood Tenpins; regular price, per set, 50c; Friday at, per set..... 35c

Walking Dolls; nicely dressed; clockwork movements; on sale Friday at, each..... 75c

Rooster and Cat Shoo-Flies; very popular for small children; large size; limited quantity; regular $1.75 value; on sale Friday at..... 75c



English Doll Cabs—like illustration—finely upholstered; rubber-tired wheels; large size; a $6.00 value for..... $5.00

Doll Trunks, priced for Friday's selling at, each... 19c

$1.00 Dolls for 75c—Your choice of any $1.00 Dressed Doll in our department, Friday only, for..... 75c

Sale of Kid Body and Jointed Dolls



We have imported enormous quantities of Dolls this year, and in order to reduce this stock very materially at once, we offer these exceptional values now at the height of the season, instead of when the Holidays are over and you are already supplied. Now is the opportunity to secure your undressed dolls for Christmas at special prices.

Jointed Papier-Mache Body Dolls

Full jointed Dolls, with bisque head, curly wig, closing eyes, 14 inches high, lace-trimmed chemise; a regular 35c value for 25c.

Jointed Dolls, with handsome bisque heads, closing eyes, showing teeth, curly wig, shoes, stockings and lace-trimmed chemise; 15 inches high; 75c value for..... 39c

Jointed Dolls, with fine bisque heads, closing eyes, showing teeth, curly wig; 14 inches high; a regular 50c doll, for..... 39c

Jointed Dolls, fine bisque heads, closing eyes, full curly wigs, jointed wrists, in addition to jointed arms and legs, shoes, stockings and chemise; 17 inches high; regular $1.00 value for..... 79c

Jointed Dolls, with fine, large bisque head, closing eyes, showing teeth, curly wig, jointed wrists; 21 inches high; $1.75 value for..... $1.25

Jointed Dolls, with fine bisque heads, face full of expression, closing eyes, teeth showing, full sewed curly wig, wrist joints, 16 inches high; a regular $1.25 value for..... 89c

Extra quality, full-jointed Dolls, with very fine bisque heads, closing eyes, with eyelashes, teeth showing, beautiful sewed curly wig, jointed wrists, shoes, stockings and chemise. This is the identical make of dolls that took the Grand Prize at the St. Louis World's Fair; 19 inches high; $2.25 value at..... $1.50

Special values in all higher-priced dolls, each doll with full sewed curly wig, closing eyes, etc.

$2.75 values..... $2.00
$3.25 values..... $2.39
$4.00 values..... $2.98
$5.00 values..... $3.69
$5.75 values..... $4.50
$6.00 values..... $4.69
$8.00 values..... $6.00
$10.00 values..... $8.00

Kid Body Dolls

Owing to the extreme scarcity of kid skins, all kid body Dolls have advanced greatly in price. Our import orders, however, for this season's kid body Dolls were placed nearly a year ago, previous to the advance in price of leather, consequently the values we are offering could not be duplicated today at wholesale, at the prices we offer in this sale at retail.

Kid Body Dolls, with Bisque head, closing eyes, curly wig, Bisque hands, shoes and stockings, 13 inches high; a 35c value for..... 25c

Kid Body Dolls, with fine Bisque head, closing eyes, curly wig, jointed hips, Bisque hands, shoes and stockings, 15 inches high; a 75c value for..... 50c

Kid Body Dolls, with hip and knee joints, 20 inches high; fine Bisque head with closing eyes, Bisque hands and fine sewed curly wig; a $1.75 value for..... $1.25

World's Fair Grand Prize Kid Body Dolls, a beautiful quality in every detail, full jointed arms, hips and legs. This is in every detail an extra quality Doll; 15 inches high; a $2.00 value for..... $1.50

Kid Body Dolls, with fine Bisque head, closing eyes, curly wig, hip joints, Bisque hands, shoes and stockings, 17 inches high; a $1.00 value for..... 75c

Kid Body Dolls, jointed hips and knees, fine Bisque heads, with closing eyes and Bisque hands, 18 inches high; a $1.25 value for.... $1.00

Also the following specials in this sale in higher priced Kid Body Dolls. Every Doll of the choicest selected quality in every detail:

16 inches high, a $2.50 value for..... $1.98
17½ inches high, a $3.25 value for..... $2.50
19 inches high, a $4.00 value for..... $3.25
25 inches high, a $7.00 value for..... $5.50

40c Chiffon at 25c

WE have just secured from a large importer a few hundred pieces of white and colored Chiffons. These are a manufacturer's seconds, yet the imperfections are not in any way serious; excellent for linings or Christmas work; regular price, 40c a yard; sale price tomorrow..... 25c

Silk Net Remnants, including 45-inch Nets, Chiffons, etc., on sale at **half price.**

Women's 50c Neckwear, 25c

WONDERFUL values in Swiss Collar and Cuff Sets, all in pretty boxes for gifts, purchased by our buyer at about half price while in St. Gall, during the past summer; actually worth 50c a set; on sale Friday at..... 25c

Collar and Cuff Sets, Japanese hand hemstitched and hand drawn, made of fine sheer linen, in Japanese wood boxes; regular $2.00 value; on sale Friday at..... $1.00

Irish pattern Lace Yokes, very desirable as Christmas gifts; neatly boxed; regular $1.75 value; specially priced for Friday at..... $1.00

Silk Stock Band, made of fancy ribbon, trimmed with steel and pearl beads, in white, pink, light blue, heliotrope and nile; neatly boxed; regular $1.00 value, Friday for..... 50c

Fine Lace and Silk Stocks, in fifty different patterns, beautifully made and specially boxed for gifts; regular $1.50 value; choice for..... $1.00

Lace Sets for coats, in white, each set in box; regular $1.25 value; on sale Friday at, per set..... 75c

Hosiery at Half Price

BOYS' fast black cotton Hose, wide ribbed, heavy weight, regular made, also misses' imported cotton Hose, narrow ribbed, with ecru feet, broken sizes, regular 25c and 35c values, specially priced Friday at, per pair... 12½c

Women's plain fast black cotton Hose, medium weight, full fashioned, double soles, broken sizes, our regular 25c value, on sale Friday at, per pair..... 12½c

Women's fast black wool Hose, ribbed and plain, medium weight, double gray Merino heels and toes, some full fashioned, former price 35c per pair, Friday at, per pair..... 25c

Women's imported plain tan silk plated Hose, fast black drop stitch and plain lisle Hose, with garter tops, medium and light weight, former price, 50c and 85c per pair, Friday, per pair, **35c**, or 3 pair for..... $1.00

Dress Fabrics Boxed for Gifts

WE have ready a splendid and comprehensive showing of dress patterns, boxed and neatly banded; also waist patterns in all-wool flannels, cotton and silk and cotton Pongee.

Fancy Cheviot—8 yards of fine braid nicely matched, price..... $4.00

Checked Suiting—7 yards with 8 yards of braid, prettily boxed, complete for..... $4.00

Serge or Granite Cloth—8 yards with silk for trimming, neatly boxed, price per box..... $4.75

Banded Dress Patterns—At very special prices, various materials, $3.50, $4.00, $4.50; $5.00 and up to..... $8.00

Flannel Waist Patterns—3½ yards long, neatly boxed at $1.60, $1.75, $2.25 and..... $2.65

Cotton Waistings—3½ yards long, in handsome Holiday box at $1.40, $1.50 and..... $1.75

Unprecedented Sale of Ribbons

THESE remarkable values in Ribbons—perhaps the most extraordinary that have been offered in St. Louis within a year, are the result of a very fortunate purchase of a manufacturer's entire overstock, at half actual value. Ten thousand five hundred and ninety yards fine satin taffeta ribbon, pure silk, and in all colors, heavy quality, 1 to 5 inches wide, at the following prices:

10c Ribbon for 5c a yard
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20c Ribbon for 10c a yard
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30c Ribbon for 13c a yard
35c Ribbon for 15c a yard
40c Ribbon for 20c a yard
50c Ribbon for 25c a yard

Christmas Stationery

OUR stock of beautiful Christmas Stationery will prove an agreeable surprise, and in it you will be sure to find the very articles you most desire. Of course, the best time for buying is today; procrastination means letting the choicest things go to others more prompt.

Ink Wells, from 25c to..... $16.50
Pearl Penholders, from 25c to..... $2.25
Pearl Paper Knives, from 25c to..... $1.50
Stamp Boxes, from 50c to..... $2.50
Writing Folios, from $1.50 to..... $8.00
Diaries for 1907, from 12c to..... $3.00
Desk Sets, complete, in leather, $3.75 to.. $16.50
Desk Sets, complete, art brass, $5.00 to.. $25.00
Desk Sets, complete, copper inlaid in silver, $39.00
Christmas Box Papers, in drawer boxes..... 35c
Christmas Box Paper, in holly cabinet..... 75c
Christmas Box Paper, from 25c to..... $15.00

Our line of Stationery is the largest in St. Louis and our prices the lowest.

Calendars and Christmas Cards, the season's most artistic creations, at from 2c to $6.50.

(Stationery Dept., near Locust St. Entrance.)

Sale of Boys' Wearing Apparel

BOYS' Suits, made of all-wool fancy mixed cassimeres and cheviots; also plain blue and black cheviot and blue serge, in double-breasted and Norfolk coat styles, with plain or Knickerbocker trousers. Ages 8 to 16 years; regular $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00 values, specially priced for Friday, at... $3.95

Boys' Suits, made of fine quality materials—Scotch Cheviots, Tweeds, Cassimeres and blue Serges, in Princeton and new style yoke effect, with Knickerbocker trousers. Coats are cut full box style, with center and side vents; ages 7 to 17 years; broken lots; regular $7.50, $8.50 and $10.00 values, at..... $5.95

Boys' Overcoats, in long full box effect and medium length, made of all-wool dark gray Oxford and black materials, warmly lined and well tailored. Ages 9 to 14 years; reduced from $6.00 and $6.50 to..... $4.95

Boys' Knee Pants, in all-wool blue and fancy Cheviots; all seams resewed. Ages 4 to 16 years. Regular 75c and 95c values; specially priced for Friday's selling at..... 45c

Boys' Sweaters, of lamb's wool, in Norfolk and button-on-shoulder style, for small boys or girls, ages 2 to 10 years; regular $1.25 and $1.50 values; on sale Friday at..... 95c

(Second Floor.)

The Sale of Sample Rugs at Half Price

WE purchased at practically half actual value W. & J. Sloane's entire line of sample rugs, comprising the most beautiful and attractive designs, purchased for the Fall and Winter season. The high standard of the rugs manufactured by W. & J. Sloane is recognized from Maine to California. The Imperial Smyrna and Burtworth Wilton are celebrated for their splendid quality and exquisite designs and colorings. The fact that these rugs are samples and that there is but one of a pattern makes the sale all the more interesting. Several hundred from which to make selections. Sale on Third Floor, New Carpet Section.

Imperial Smyrna Rugs—Best quality Smyrna rug made—newest designs and colorings—same on both sides—every rug carries the Imperial trade-mark—size 36x72 inches—regular $5.50 value; sale price..... $3.45

Burtworth Wilton Rugs—Like the Imperial Smyrna Rugs—are the highest grade Wilton rug produced—pure worsted high pile rug—equisite effects—fringed ends—36x63 inches—reg. value $7.50—sale price..... $5.45

Mohawk, Smyrna Rugs—Very heavy quality, similar designs and colorings to the celebrated Imperial Smyrna Rugs—same on both sides—36x72 inches—regular $4.50; sale price..... $2.95

The Greatest of All Shoe Sales

THIRTY days ago not a single pair of these shoes was in existence. The entire purchase of thirty-eight hundred pairs was made especially to our order by New York's most famous maker of women's shoes. The styles and the quality of workmanship are the very best it is possible to produce. It is doubtful if you ever again will have a shoe opportunity equaling this.

There are welted soles, hand-lasted in either blucher, button or lace styles. The leathers are fine patent colt and gunmetal calf. Every pair of these shoes will be fitted carefully by thoroughly experienced salespeople, thus assuring you absolute satisfaction. Not a pair worth less than $4.00 and some of them worth $4.50, your choice, for..... $2.65

RAWLINGS' OATH ON THE GALLOWS SAVES TWO SONS

Gov. Terrell Commutes Sentence of Preacher's Boys to Life Term.

FATHER HANGED TUESDAY

He Swore on Gallows Children Were Innocent of the Carter Murder.

NEGRO IMPLICATED ONE

As He Stood on Scaffold He Said Milton Had Fired Fatal Shot.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 6.—Twenty-four hours before they were to have followed their father to the gallows Gov. Terrell at noon today commuted to life imprisonment the sentence of death placed upon Milton and Jessie Rawlings, to be carried out in Valdosta Friday, for complicity in the murder of Wollie and Carrie Rawlings and for which Rev. J. G. Rawlings and Alf Moore, a negro, were hanged there Tuesday.

With his dying breath Elder Rawlings swore his sons were innocent of the murder and begged for their lives. The negro, Moore, swore on the gallows that Milton Rawlings fired the shots which killed the children.

Since the execution of Rawlings and Moore a wave of sympathy swept the State for the sons, who were mere boys when the crime was committed.

This morning the pardon board met in special session and recommended a commutation to life imprisonment, which was approved by the Governor.

Leonard Rawlings, the third son convicted, is now serving a life sentence for his part in the crime. The commutation gives general satisfaction, as many believe the boys are innocent or were forced to do their father's bidding.

The crime for which Rawlings and Moore were hanged was a brutal one. Rawlings and W. L. Carter were neighbors 12 miles from here. Both were Baptist ministers. Several years ago a dispute arose as to the line between their respective farms. Litigation and much feeling resulted.

Carter was wounded by a shot from ambush, and had Rawlings arrested on the charge of attempted murder. A few days later—June 18, 1905—a night attack was made on the Carter home. Two of the children, Willie and Carrie Carter, were shot just outside the house, and shots were fired without effect at Carter and his wife and another daughter.

A Coroner's jury found that the crime had been committed by Milton and Jesse Rawlings and Alf Moore, a negro. The latter confessed, telling of a plot which had been planned by the elder Rawlings for the murder of the entire Carter family and the burning of their house.

The trial, which lasted two weeks, resulted in a verdict of death for the elder Rawlings, his sons, Milton and Jesse, and Alf Moore.

A third son, Leonard Rawlings, was given a life sentence as an accomplice.

Attacker and Attacked Fined.

Louis Lindley was fined $5 and August Oppel $5 in the City Hall Police Court Thursday for disturbing the peace. Oppel conducts a saloon at Second and Rutger streets. He testified that Lindley owed him $5 and that when Lindley came into the saloon Wednesday evening he asked him if he would pay him the money as he needed it. Lindley refused and when Oppel's back turned he said Lindley drew a pocket knife and slashed his head four times, inflicting slight wounds. The police were called and Oppel was taken to the City Dispensary. Lindley was arrested.

Widow Fined, Fine Stayed.

Mrs. Nora McClain, a young widow, who was found Tuesday morning in the street, with a policeman's revolver in her possession and who wasn't able to tell just how she got it, was fined $3 in the Dayton Street Police Court Thursday, but Judge Pollard stayed the fine. Mrs. McClain told the police of the North Market Street Station she had spent a night celebrating with a policeman and was on her way to give the revolver to some officer when she was arrested. She says she lives at 6 Aubert place.

Lid Club Witenss Absent.

When the case of George O'Laughlin, accused of selling liquor at the Meramec Rod and Gun Club, in Kirkwood, was called before Justice Jacobi Wednesday, William Sloan, the prosecuting witness, did not appear. Marshall Secrest reported to the Court that he had been unable to find him. Justice Jacobi continued the case a week and instructed the Marshal to arrest Sloan.

Fireman a Bankrupt.

James W. Haislett, a fireman on the Frisco road, living at Thayer, Oregon County, Mo., filed a voluntary petition of bankruptcy in the United States District Court Thursday. Among his assets are a house and lot worth $800, household goods worth $110 and salary, $68 a month, on which Haislett claims exemption. There is also a deed for 1280 acres of land in Oregon County, but the title is not clear. His debts are $640 and $400 of his debts are in notes secured by deeds of trust on the 1280 acres of land.

Refuses to Support Wife.

Frederick Breiding of 1608 Wash street was arrested in Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Thomas' office Thursday after he had told Thomas he didn't intend to support his wife and two children. Special Officer William Carr was in the office and made the arrest at the request of Thomas. Mrs. Breiding was present, and it was on her complaint that her husband had been summoned.

Respite for Aggie Meyers.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 6.—Gov. Folk said this morning that he would today grant respites of 30 days each to Aggie Meyers and Frank Hottman, under conviction in Kansas City and Liberty, Mo., for the murder of Mrs. Meyers' husband.

Grimes Out on $20,000 Bail.

TROY, Mo., Dec. 6.—Curt. Grimes, who shot and killed Joseph Hines, was released from Jail yesterday and left immediately for his clubhouse on King's Lake, with his young wife, who had been here with him since Thanksgiving. His bond of $20,000 was signed by St. Louisans.

BURNED TO DEATH IN CAR OF HAY

Man Was Sleeping When Fire Reached Him—Died in Hospital.

Lawrence Allen, burned in a car of hay in the railroad yards at Second and Tyler streets early Thursday, died three hours after he was taken to the City Hospital.

He arrived in St. Louis from Chicago Wednesday afternoon in search of work. Having no money to pay for lodging he chose the hay car as a sleeping place. The fire destroyed eight freight cars. Allen was dragged out by Patrolman Donoghue and Heller of the North Market Street Station and sent to the City Hospital.

All of the cars were loaded with hay and a spark from a passing locomotive is supposed to have caused the fire.

The flames extended along the tracks for 200 yards.

Allen's cries attracted the policemen. They tore his burning clothing from him. He asked that Michael Byrne of the City Water Works Extension Co. of Chicago be notified of his injury.

Money, but No Explanation.

The officers of the Citizens' Insurance Co. of St. Louis have no clew to the sender of $760, which was added to the treasury of the company this week as coming from an unknown man in Kansas City, who gave his name as C. K. Ernst. They think that the refund is conscience money returned by someone to whom a fire insurance claim to which he was not entitled had been paid. The money came by express, a $500 bill and 13 $20 bills being enclosed in an envelope and wrapped in red paper. No such name as C. K. Ernst appears on the books of the company.

JAPANESE PRESS LAUDS ROOSEVELT

Feels Grateful for His Support and Predicts Peaceable Solution at Frisco.

TOKIO, Dec. 6.—Most of the papers here highly eulogize President Roosevelt's attitude toward the Japanese as expressed in his message. The Ashai is delighted that the confidence reposed in the President has been realized. It says:

"By his firm attitude, prompted by a lofty sense of justice, President Roosevelt has added new luster to his already great fame. It is to be hoped that true Americans will unite in support of his righteous policy."

The Hochi praises President Roosevelt's attitude as just and impartial, and is rejoiced to find it in perfect accord with the views of the Japanese Government.

"Public opinion here," it says, "believes that he must have been actuated by an exalted sense of patriotism to save his country from dishonor by clearly defining the relative power and authority of the Federal and State Government."

The Jiji is grateful that President Roosevelt has expressed exactly what the Japanese would say.

"They feel at ease," it declares, "since the Japanese cause has been placed in such a powerful hand."

The press is almost unanimous in confidently expressing a satisfactory sclution of the San Francisco complications.

Eberhardt Is President.

At the annual election Wednesday of the St. Louis Postoffice Clerks' Mutual Aid Association, Emil Eberhardt defeated F. B. Ecks for president. Eberhardt received 369 votes, while Ecks received 162.

FATHER KIDNAPS HIS LITTLE GIRL

Myrtes Hammond, 7 years old, was kidnaped on her way to school Thursday by her father, Thomas L. Hammond of Jefferson City, who is separated from Mrs. Hammond, according to the story told by the little girl's companions. Mrs. Hammond, who lives at 3756 Olive street, has appealed to the police to recover her child for her.

Myrtes attends the Marquette School. She was on her way to it, accompanied by Walter Hammond, her 9-year-old brother, and Frances Martin, 15 years old, a cousin, when, on Vandeventer avenue, between Olive street and Westminster place, they met Hammond.

Walter was walking about twenty feet ahead of the other children. His father, accompanied by a Mrs. Mamie Vineyard of Jefferson City, a niece, approached the boy and Hammond grasped his arm.

A struggle between the boy and his father ensued. The boy fought his father and the struggle lasted until the two reached Westminster place. The father tried to persuade his son to go with him, telling him that he wanted to get him some candy and had some pretty ponies at Jefferson City for him to ride. He said he would give the ponies to the boy if he would go along.

Frances Martin left Myrtes and ran to the assistance of the boy. She threatened to call a policeman if Hammond did not release the boy. Hammond released the boy and walked briskly west on Westminster. Francis then turned around and discovered that the little girl was missing and that Mrs. Vineyard, whom she had passed on the corner of Olive street and Vandeventer, had escaped with the child.

Hammond turned back to Myrtes, the other children say, and took her up in his arms, walking off with her. Walter and Frances say they tried to follow him and Mrs. Vinyard, but that the couple escaped.

Mrs. Hammond believes her husband took a train soon after obtaining possession of the child for Jefferson City. She telephoned to Justice Marshall of the Supreme Court, a friend, asking him to watch for Hammond and the child there. He advised her to appeal to the police.

To Chief Creecy Mrs. Hammond gave an account of the kidnapping as related to her by the children. She said she and her husband had been separated some time, but refused to discuss their domestic difficulties.

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Santa Claus is Here

He wants good boys and girls to come and tell him what they want for Xmas.

Cuff and Collar Boxes

Large size and with silver-plated button box on top; 1.00 kind—special 50c

Boys and Girls! Come to See the Wonderful

Toy and Doll Village!

See the big moving Teddy Bear beating a drum; the big moving musical Xmas Tree, the big moving Dolls, big Horses, Wagons, moving Toys; talk to Santa Claus—he will send presents to all good boys and girls. More toys than any other two stores put together. Thousands of lights, music all the time.

Special Doll and Toy Prices Tomorrow

Florodora Kid Doll; 23 inches tall; stout body; bisque head, with sewed wig, sleeping eyes, shoes and stockings; 1.50 value; tomorrow..... 1.00



Ludoscope, motion pictures, something entirely new; cannot get out of order; including 6 discs, tomorrow, 39c

Automobiles; rubber tires; good size and well made; $5.00 value; tomorrow..... 3.25

Imported Real China Tea Sets, 23 pieces; large size; worth 1.50; at 1.00

Japanese Rolling Ball Game; same as you see in the summer gardens; 4 feet long; at. 2.00

Loop the Loop; 50 inches long; all metal; 50c kind, tomorrow... 29c

Ice Skates! Ice Skates! 500 pairs best quality Steel Club Skates, sizes 8 to 11; sell everywhere at 75c; at the Globe tomorrow..... 55c

Shoofly Horses, nicely painted, tomorrow for..... 45c

Rocking

Velocipedes, with adjustable seat, tomorrow..... 1.00

Tree Ornaments; immense assortment fancy glass balls; per doz., in box, 25c, 15c and..... 10c



WE GIVE AND GUARANTEE GOLD STAMPS.

A Ladies' Glove Sale That Will Electrify St. Louis

20,000 pairs of this season's Imported Kid and Fabric Gloves at prices you can scarcely believe. **Read every item.**

Fabric Gloves

Imported black fleeced Cashmere Gloves, jersey wrist, 19c value..... 9c

Two-clasp black fleece-lined Cashmere Gloves, 25c value..... 15c

Infants' Mittens, all colors, 10c kind, per pair..... 5c

Golf Gloves, all wool and mercerized, German two-clasp Cashmeres, suede and silk lined; also all-wool Children's Gloves; values up to 75c; on sale at..... 25c

16-button Suede Lisle Gloves in black; have every appearance of an undressed kid glove; Paris point stitching on back; 1.25 value; per pair..... 75c

16-button Silk Taffeta Gloves; heavy quality; all sizes; 2-clasp mousquetaire; pair 1.10

Kid Gloves

8-button Kid Gloves, black, brown, tan, red and gray; 1.75 value; per pair..... 1.00

Limit one pair to each customer.

10-button Kid Gloves, tan and gray; 2.00 value; per pair..... 1.39

16-button Kid Gloves, black, brown, tan and gray; 3.50 value; per pair..... 2.95



Ladies! Here's the Plum of the Season, Absolutely

$10 Fur Sets at 7.50

Dark Brown Sable Coney Fur Sets—Large pillow muff with cord; scarf three yards long; six large tails; two small heads; chain fastening; tomorrow at..... 7.50

30.00 Electric Seal Coats, 18.50

Electric Seal Fur Coats, 24 inches long; large storm collar and revers, satin lined; sold with a two year guarantee; tomorrow at..... 18.50

10.00 Empress Coats at 5.50

Large black and white plaids; in the full loose-fitting back; double-breasted; made collarless, with inlaid black velvet; trimmed with buttons; large patch pockets; specially priced tomorrow at the Globe for..... 5.50

10.00 Fur Scarfs at 5.00

Opossum or Coney Fur in black or dark brown; three yards long; six large tails; cord fastenings with ornaments; tomorrow at..... 5.00

Ladies' 15.00 Suits at 8.50

Short, tight-fitting, semi-fitting, Pony Coats, "Prince Chap" and blouse effects, in fancy mixtures, plaids and solid color cheviots; braid and velvet trimmed; satin-lined jackets; regular 15.00 suits; tomorrow at..... 8.50

30.00 Velvet Suits at 19.50

Beautiful Velvet Blouse Suits—Taffeta silk lining; handsomely trimmed with fancy braid and inlaid broadcloth, finished with pretty ornaments; collarless effect; turn-back cuff; box-plaited skirt—the kind they sell for 30.00 on Broadway— our price..... 19.50

2.50 Fall Waists at 1.50

Beautiful Mercerized Plaids, Brilliantines and Panama Cloth, handsomely embroidered; others with cluster tucks; full blouse effects; tomorrow..... 1.50



5.00 Plaid Silk Waists, 3.00

Made of elegant quality handsome Scotch plaid silk; large black panel down front, trimmed with covered buttons; full blouse effect; long sleeves; others in solid colors taffeta silk; all the new pastel shades, also black; all neatly tucked; some with beautiful lace yokes; others handsomely embroidered; long or short sleeves; 5.00 is what such Waists are selling for all over; special at..... 3.00

Children's Bearskin Coats

Sizes 1 to 6; white and colors; double-breasted and turnback cuffs; 5.00 value; tomorrow.... 2.98

Sale of

Handkerchiefs

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, pretty hemstitched fancy borders or allover plaids, tomorrow at..... 25c

Women's Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 in fancy box, for..... 75c

Children's Initial Handkerchiefs, real hemstitched borders; 3 in pretty box, only..... 15c

STORM RUBBERS 25c



Ladies' 50c Storm Rubbers, from 8 to 11 a. m., only; all sizes..... 25c

Men's House Slippers, in velvet, leather and beaver; in all sizes..... 49c

Men's 1.25 House Slippers, in Everett and opera cuts, chocolate and fine vici kid, all sizes, for tomorrow only..... 89c

Ladies' 3.00 Shoes, in patent colt, vici kid and box calf, single and double soles, in button, lace and blucher styles, all sizes and widths..... 1.95

Oregon Wool Blankets

Full 11-4 size, in silver gray; worth 5.00; while 2 cases last, per pair— 3.00

Silkoline Comforts

10-4 size; soft filling; fully worth 1.25; on sale— 85c

Curtains, Portieres, Blankets

Nottingham Lace Curtains—60 in. wide, 3 yds. long; 1.25 value; pair... 75c

Rope Portieres—Made very full; valance; single and double door styles; worth up to 1.50; special..... 95c

Oregon Wool Blankets—Full 11-4 size; in silver gray; 5.00 value; per pair..... 3.00

Silkoline Comforts—10-4 size; soft filling; 1.25 value..... 85c

Tapestry Portieres—Extra wide and full length; the best colors; 3.50 value; per pair..... 2.25

Porcelain and Silver

Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets

1000 Sets from Schimper Co. Factory



Newark, N. J. The Brushes were slightly mussed by water from a busted sprinkler. Not a set in the lot worth less than 2.50. Enough said. On sale.. 1.00

45c Toques, 15c



Boys' and girls' 45c all-wool Toques; this is a sample line of 45c goods; in all colors; tomorrow..... 15c

Men's Jersey Coats

Men's heavy Jersey Coats with tailor-made collar; extra felled seams and double stitched in single or double-breasted blue or black; all sizes; regular $3.50 quality; Friday, special, $2.50

Men's Oxford Mufflers

Men's fancy silk or plain black Padded Mufflers, in all the newest effects; regular 1.00 quality; Friday special, 50c

BEARSKINS and CLOAKINGS

We are the only store in St. Louis where you can procure these goods for cloaks, capes, children's coats, and

To Cover

Teddy Bears

Imported Bearskin, in the best colors, also white and black astrakhan; 54 to 56 in. wide; 3.50 value —per yard, only..... 2.00

Bearskin Plush, in all the good colors; 19 inches wide; 1.00 quality; per yard..... 39c

Camel's Hair Broadcloth, heavy weight, nearly every color; 56 inches wide; 2.00 quality; per yard... 1.00

Camel's Hair Zibeline, 38 inches wide; black, brown, navy and green; 69c value; per yard..... 39c

Astrakhan and Boucle Cloakings — We just received a big shipment of these high grade imported Cloakings, in black and mostly all the good colors; worth 2.50 to 3.50 a yard; until sold, per yard..... 1.00

Needle Work Baskets

Large size, satin-lined, and fitted with Thimble, Crocheting Needle, Thread, and Needles — 1.00 kind— special..... 59c

Flannelette Underskirts

Made very full and of a fine Fleeced Flannelette — only the choicest colors and patterns— 50c kind— special..... 25c

Ladies' Neck Scarfs

350 More on Sale.

Soft Silk Tissue Scarfs, 2 yards long and ¾-yard wide —all colors and black—75c kind—special price..... 35c

Embroidered Waist Patterns

Fine Swiss Embroidered and Val. Lace, trimmed Allover Front and Bands to match—enough material for an entire Waist—in a pretty box —$1.75 value— special..... 1.00

Clothing Reductions

Great Pre-Xmas Clearance. Every Suit and Overcoat Reduced. Note Prices!

Boys' 2.50 Suits and Overcoats



Elegant warm Overcoats in neat patterns, also nobby double-breasted Suits in cheviots and cassimeres; $3 values at 1.55

4.00 Suits or Overcoats, 2.75

Also Reefers; Suits are double-breasted, Buster Brown and Norfolk styles, fancy cheviots, worsteds, cassimeres, in latest designs; the Overcoats and Reefers are seasonable, durable fabrics; warm and stylish; elsewhere 4.00—at the Globe..... 2.75

7.50 for Men's Regular 12.50 Suits and Overcoats

Nobby Fancy Worsted Suits; single or double-breasted; elegant kersey and fancy cheviot Overcoats; regular 12.50 clothing; Friday at..... 7.50



FLOOD KNOWN TO HAVE DROWNED 18

Clifton Practically Washed Away—Hundreds Took Refuge in Mountain

SOLOMONVILLE, Ariz., Dec. 6.—Owing to disabled wires details of the damage done by the flood which practically washed away the mining town of Clifton with a population of 3000 persons, are hard to obtain. It is known, however, that the death list is at least eighteen, two of whom were Americans, the others being Mexicans and Italians. Hundreds fled to the mountains for safety.

The flood was the result of 30 hours' steady rain all over Southern Arizona. The catastrophe commenced with the breaking of a big reservoir in the mountains above, precipitating a vast flood upon Chase Creek section. The principal street of Clifton is near the stream and it is there that the fatalities occurred, the flood engulfing people without warning.

A new school building and scores of houses were washed away. The railroad bridge is tottering. All information is sent from a telegraph office surrounded by water. The Arizona & Mexico Railway Co. will be a heavy loser, as its yards and shops are inundated.

The water is receding rapidly and no further damage is feared. According to this report, two bodies have already been recovered. The first train out of Clifton since the flood started yesterday, but it is not thought it was able to get as far as Duncan.

GROSSCUP PICKS FLAW IN MESSAGE

Japanese Question Is for the Constitution, Says Federal Judge.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 6.—Judge Peter S. Grosscup of the United States Court of Appeals for Northern Illinois, who is now in Baltimore on a visit, said today of President Roosevelt's message:

"It's like a crazy quilt. It covers almost every possible subject and many of them are hardly important enough for a President's message."

"It seems to me," went on the Judge, with a laugh, "that the question of providing shooting galleries for children might safely have been left to the school directors.

"The trouble with the message is that it is out of proportion. Little things are placed side by side with big ones and all are treated from a preaching attitude. The President himself has no sense of proportion. He thinks everything under the sun that interests him is important enough to be put in a message to Congress."

After reading what President Roosevelt had to say on the Japanese question, Judge Grosscup said:

"That is a question of the Constitution. The National Government has no right to make a treaty that will interfere with the regulation of schools by a State. California or any other State, has the right guaranteed to it under the Constitution of the United States to exclude any one from its schools it chooses. The schools are established, supported and regulated by the State. The State has absolute power over them.

"Hence it can be plainly seen that that part of any treaty made by the National Government which conflicts with a State's rights to regulate its own schools is void. If the Government wants to include provisions in its treaties, it should establish national public schools in each State, support them and regulate them.

"It is the old trouble with Roosevelt. He recommends a thing in a general way, but does not make clear the details. He does not go into questions far enough. Of course the Government is being more centralized; this is necessary, but it does not do away with the clearly drawn lines between the executive, judicial and legislative forms.

"Has he used his simple spelling in the message? It is a monstrosity. Those of us who were educated in old and pure English do not care for the new way of arranging letters. I see the Supreme Court has refused briefs spelled in that way. Their action speaks for the bench."

Tomorrow.

Fulton Market Clam Chowder and fresh-caught Black Bass at Priester's, 302 Washington avenue.

PATRICK ASKS FOR PARDON.

Draws Application Himself to Be Presented to Governor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—It was stated here last night that Albert T. Patrick, who is under sentence of death in Sing Sing Prison for the murder of William M. Rice, the Texas capitalist, had secretly prepared an application to Gov. Higgins for a pardon. According to reports Patrick turned from his attitude of resolute refusal to seek mercy only after pleading by his wife and other relatives. Patrick himself is said to have drawn up the application which analyzes his entire case.

Webster Groves Troubles.

Several persons living in the north part of Webster Groves have been notified by the St. Louis Postoffice authorities that unless the sidewalks in front of their residences are repaired at once the carrier will cease delivering mail to them. The notices call attention to a ruling of the Federal courts—failure of property owners to build and keep in repair the sidewalks adjacent to their property is sufficient ground for the carrier to refuse to deliver mail on the property.

Odd Fellows' Dance.

Naomi Rebekah Lodge, No. 2, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will give a musical entertainment and dance Friday evening in the entertainment hall of the Masonic Temple, fifth floor of the Odeon Building. It will be given under the direction of Mrs. C. O. Hardcastle, assisted by James O. Leake and Mrs. Stella Boyer. A feature will be a glimpse of Toyland with 50 babies in costume and a fancy drill by the Uniformed Rank, Patriarchs Militant. The proceeds will go toward the erection of a Rebekah home.

J. Howard Watson Dies.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 6.—J. Howard Watson, editorial writer on the Seattle Times, former secretary to ex-Gov. Henry McBride, and one of the best known newspapermen in the Northwest, died at Providence Hospital last night, following an operation for appendicitis. Watson was 45 years old and a native of Ohio. He leaves a widow and one son.

Vaccination for Tuberculosis.

At the monthly meeting of the St. Louis Biological Society at the home of Dr. H. M. Whelpley, 2342 Albion place, Wednesday night Dr. L. S. Brown of the St. Louis University in a paper on "Vaccine and Vaccination" expressed the opinion that the ravages of tuberculosis could be greatly mitigated by vaccination. He contended that vaccination against cancer would be ineffective on account of so little being known of the disease.

FRIDAY IS BARGAIN DAY IN HOLIDAY GOODS



BRING THE CHILDREN TO SEE THE REAL LIVE SANTA CLAUS

DOLLS! DOLLS!

IMMENSE SALE OF LARGE JOINTED DOLLS

We've just received a large importation of fine Jointed Dolls, delayed by customs examination. They should have been on sale 10 days ago. We had to delay many of our customers, but have put prices on these just arrived that will repay your waiting. Select them now while they're new.



JOINTED FLORODORA DOLLS, 21-inch—Fine imported full jointed Dolls; molded forms; full ball joints; sewed wigs; moving eyes, and shoes and stockings; worth $2.00..... **98c**

FINE JOINTED DOLLS—Genuine Handwerck, full jointed Dolls; complete to the finest detail; sewed wigs, moving eyes, shoes and stockings; *25½ inches high;* worth $5. **$2.98**

FINEST KESTNER JOINTED DOLLS—French composition molded bodies; double ball joints at hips, knees, shoulders, elbows and wrists; 6-row sewed wig; fine Angora natural hair; sleeping eyes, natural eyelashes, and shoes and stockings; 29 inches tall and worth $6.50..... **$3.95**

$8.00 Handwerck JOINTED DOLLS

AT 9:30 FRIDAY MORNING.

Just 26 of these very fine large Jointed Dolls, the genuine "Handwerck" brand. These Dolls are 30 inches tall, are fine French composition bodies, finest bisque head, beautiful features, blond, brunette and medium dark hair; 6-row fine heavy sewed wigs; shoes and stockings; moving eyes; 26 of them, Friday morning, 30-inch "Handwerck" dolls, until sold..... **$4.95**

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!



Steel Automobiles, large size, like cut, **$4.95**



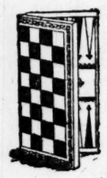
Shoo-Fly Rocking Horses; dappled— **49c**



Blackboard Desk—like cut—with patent folder, **98c**



Hardwood Blackboard, metal surface, **98c**



300 Bucks and Saws, like cut— **5c**

Large Checker Boards, like cut, with checkers and dice cups— **19c**



All-Wood Trunks— **25c**



200 six-key Pianos—worth 25c— **15c**



100 Folding Go-Carts, like cut; worth $1.25— **75c**

Quien Sabe, the newest card game; greatly advertised.....	**47c**
Buster Party; new cloth game.....	**25c**
Doll Suit Cases; 25c value.....	**10c**
Large China Tea Sets; 23 pieces.....	**$1.25**
Children's large oak cane seat **Rockers**.....	**98c**
Baseball Game; always popular and exciting.....	**49c**

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FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS

Fur Scarfs—Cluster style; in Russian sable hare, French coney, Australian opossum and brook mink, finished with 6 tails and chain and hook; value up to $2.98; Sale Price..... **$1.98**

Ladies' Muffs—Melton-shaped; satin-lined; full size; in Russian sable hare and black French coney; regular $2.95 value; Sale Price..... **$1.95**

Fur Scarfs—Natural squirrel, brook mink, Russian sable hare, brown coney, dyed opossum and Isabella fox; all made from first quality skins and very fluffy; values from $6.95 to $8.50; Sale Price..... **$4.95**

Fur Scarfs—In natural Siberian squirrel, Japanese mink, sable squirrel, Isabella and sable fox, brown and black Marten; muffs to match; worth up to $15.00; Sale Price..... **$9.95**

LADIES' $1 AND $1.50 UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Jersey Rib Fleece Lined Union Suits, open front or across chest; Gray Wool Union Suits; extra sizes Union Suits, in cotton and wool; Ladies Vests in black, white or gray, in cotton or wool; hundreds of garments, in all styles, grades and colors; all goods sold from $1.00 to $1.50—choice Friday for..... **49c**

MEN'S $2.00 UNDERWEAR

Men's fine All-wool Natural Gray Camel's Hair or Fancy Colored Shirts, Rib Wool Shirts, in all colors; Wright's best grade Fleeced Shirts, Cooper Rib Shirts and Union Suits, in all shades, for men; hundreds of other styles of high-grade cotton, wool and fleeced; choice Friday..... **59c**

HOLIDAY BELTS, BAGS AND COMBS



Sale of New Mounted Combs—Set with brilliants, amethysts, garnets and sapphire; value from 75c to $1; sale price, each..... **50c**



New Mounted Combs—Some inlaid and set with brilliants; one in a fancy box; others carded and assorted mountings; values from $1.25 to $1.75; sale price, each..... **$1.00**

New Vanity Bags—Seal grain pressing, moire lined, strap handle and snap fastening; 3 and 4 separate compartments; value 69c to 98c; sale price, each..... **50c**

New Bags in Vanity, carriage and automobile styles; some with three-piece fitting, moire lined; leather handles and riveted frames; some in the lot worth up to $1.75; sale price..... **$1.00**

New Beaded Bags—Polished gilt frame; chain handle; moire lined, blue, green, white and black and steel; worth $1.25; sale price..... **98c**

Imported Elastic Beaded Belts—Closely covered with cut jet beads; fancy buckles; extra strong and a perfect fit; worth up to $1.00; sale price..... **50c**

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$17.50 50-Inch Long Kersey Coats and $17.50 Tailor-Made Suits

In one immense lot of assorted styles and patterns; we will sell 50-in. Kersey Coats, full satin lined, neatly trimmed in velvet and braid and several newest styles; Broadcloth, Serge and fancy mixed Suits with jackets all satin lined; these elegant $17.50 values— **$10.00**



$25 50-In. Tight Fitting and Loose Fitting Kersey Coats and $25 Tailor-Made Suits.

The loose-fitting Coats have full ripple backs and handsomely trimmed and all Coats are perfect fitting and properly cut. The Suits that are in this lot include the finest styles with long coats, short coats, blouse or Eton styles of the finest broadcloths and properly trimmed. The Skirts to the Suits are made attractively. The values in this lot, worth $25.00 and more, will certainly interest you at— **$15.00**

1000 Children's Heavy Winter Coats—long and warm—plaid and plain—all new—ages 6 to 14 years..... **$2.95, $3.95 and $4.95**

$10 Kersey Coats—Full 50 in. long; trimmed in velvet and braid or heavy melton; coats long.....
$10 Voile and Chiffon Panama Skirts—In 4 different styles; pleats and tucks..... **$5.00**

$5.00 Silk and Lace Shirt Waists in white and light colors.....
$3.50 All-Wool Sweaters—Norfolk and other styles, white and black and colors.....
$3 Tailor-Made Skirts—In black, blue and gray mixtures..... **$1.00**

KID GLOVES FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS



16-Button Length Mosquetaire Gloves; genuine French kid; in black, white and colors; $4.50 values; special, pair..... **$3.50**

8-Button Length Mosquetaire Gloves; fine quality real kid; in black, white and colors. $2.50 values; special, pair..... **$1.75**

Women's 2-Clasp Genuine French Kid Gloves, all colors, also Mocha and capes; $1.50 and $1.75 values; special, pair, $1.25 and..... **$1.00**

Women's 2-Clasp Pure Silk Fleeced Gloves; never sold for less than $1.00; special tomorrow, per pair..... **75c**

Women's, Misses' and Children's Fine Wool and Cashmere Gloves; all colors. 35c and 50c values; special, per pair..... **25c**

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Silk Petticoats, black and all the new popular shades; some made with deep fancy flounce, others more tailored, values to $8.50, this sale **$4.95**

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10-in. decorated Glass Vases **5c**

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$2.50 Boys' Double-Breasted Suits, ages 8 to 16 years..... **$1.39**

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50c Plaids; 36-inch fine Plaids; certain patterns; to close out.....	**15c**
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REMNANTS.

Remnants 60c Novelty Silks and Colored All-Silk Taffetas—
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60c 30-inch Black Silk Pongee, yard..... **39c**

Remnants $1.00 high-grade Fancy Silks, yard—
$1.00 Satin Duchess, all-silk—
$1.00 All-Silk Colored Peau de Soie—
70c Rustling Taffeta, black and colors—
Plaids Silks at 75c, 59c and..... **49c**

Remnants 50c 27-inch Colored Rajan Silk, brown and black, yard—
40c Colored Taffetas, yard—
60c Fancy Silks, slightly stained—
90c Real Panne Velvets, odd shades—
50c Printed All-Silk Foulards, yard..... **25c**

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$5.00 Curtains for $1.95—Cable Net, Scotch and Brussels Net, Cluny and Renaissance Lace Curtains, 3 and 3½ yards long; worth $5.00; your choice of the lot Friday, a pair— **$1.95**

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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Lot 3—**Choice** of any **Dress Hat** in the house, including some with real Laces, Plumes, etc., worth $30.00 and $35.00, for..... **$15.00**

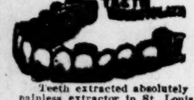
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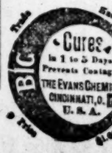
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NEIGHBORS FIGHT OVER PERSIMMONS

Samuel Ford of Woodlands Is Arrested on Complaint of M. A. Seed.

BOTH SIDES ARMED

Ford Denies Charge, but Seed Says Men and Boys Fought in Lot.

Samuel Ford, a well-to-do resident of Woodland, St. Louis County, is under bond to answer charges of assault and trespass preferred against him by M. A. Seed, president of the M. A. Seed Dry Plate Co., whose home and factory adjoin the Ford property.

The arrest of Ford followed an unusual series of encounters between Ford on the one side and Seed and his children and employes on the other.

In one of the fights three men and ten boys were engaged. Ford was knocked down and carried to his home. One of the boys fired a shotgun and at least two rifles were displayed. Ford, when arrested, confined himself to the statement that he is not guilty of the charges against him.

M. A. Seed said to a Post-Dispatch reporter Thursday.

"My two boys, Richard, aged 17, and Robert, 13, with a party of their young friends, all boys, were picking persimmons in my pasture when they were attacked by Ford. This pasture is between my home and that of the Fords and I have held it under a lease from Ford's sister for seven years. Ford, who is 34 years old and very powerful, has always seemed to resent my occupancy of the land and has frequently caused trouble.

"Last Sunday he assaulted my agent, William Oepts, and I had him arrested.

"Sunday afternoon the boys entered the pasture to pick persimmons. Ford ordered them to get off the land. When they told him that they had a right there he ran into the house and returned a few minutes later carrying a rifle.

"One of my boys went home and got a rifle. It wasn't loaded, but he thought it would be sufficient to scare Ford away. Ford continued to advance and my boy went back to the house and got a shotgun, which he fired in the air.

"Ford stood his ground. I reached the pasture at this time with my man, John.

"The boys rushed on Ford and took his rifle away from him. He fought them with all his strength and broke away from them. My man, John, followed him and they had a fight in which John knocked Ford down and out.

Fought in Vacant Lot.

"The boys picked Ford up and carried him to his home.

"My sons and two of the others went into the house with him. Just as he got inside he came to and locked the door and stood against it, holding the boys prisoners. They fought in there and Ford was getting the better of them when John and the other boys forced the door from the outside and rescued my sons.

"After we had returned to my home Ford came over there and called: 'Well, I am here again. Now put me out.' I sent for my watchman and had him arrested.

"The assault on Oepts Saturday was uncalled for. I had had so much trouble about the pasture that I decided to give up the lease and so notified the Ford family. Samuel Ford came over to see my agent, Oepts, about it. Oepts is lame. He told Ford that he did not want to negotiate with him, but with his sister.

"Ford then attacked Oepts and beat him."

FIREMEN WANT INCREASE.

St. Louis Unions to Ask Railroads for 15 Per Cent Advance.

Members of the five branches of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, having headquarters in St. Louis, have decided to ask the railroads for an increase in wages, and arrangements have been made for a conference with the officials of the roads before Christmas. The exact date of the meeting has not been set, because one of the branches of the brotherhood has not named its delegates.

It is said that the men will demand an increase of 15 per cent over the rate paid at present. This is in keeping with the decision of a general meeting of firemen in Chicago several days ago. The general demand will affect more than 2500 firemen who have runs west of the Mississippi River.

The St. Louis men say they do not expect serious opposition from the railroad companies, as they have already granted advances in wages to the engineers, switchmen and telegraphers.

Charles H. Kuby of 1301 Grattan street, an engineer, who, until a few weeks ago, was master of Industrial Lodge No. 21, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, said Thursday that the indications were that the firemen would be given the same consideration by the companies that was accorded to the men in other branches of the service.

TWO SHOT DURING RIOT.

Attempted Arrest Starts Trouble in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6.—An attempt by three policemen to arrest John Rose, an Italian, and Honar Eckton, a Syrian woman, wanted in Columbus, O., on the charge of grand larceny, last night started a riot in the Italian quarter in the north end of the city, in which Francesco Citadino, an Italian, was shot through the head and fatally wounded, and H. B. Morrison, a policeman, was shot and painfully hurt.

Sergt. McCosgrove, with Patrolmen Morrison and Zaner, demanded the surrender of Rose and the Eckton woman at an Italian tenement at 542 Harrison street. Zanner entered the house, while McCosgrove and Morrison guarded the exit. Zanner was attacked by Citadino and Morrison ran to his assistance just as Citadino was going to shoot. Morrison then shot the Italian. Rose, armed with a pistol, and Citadino's wife, with a butcher knife, then attacked the officers, but the two policemen succeeded in overpowering them.

Bible Printed 331 Years Ago.

A Bible 331 years old was found in Freeburg, Ill., near Belleville, Thursday. The discovery was made by John W. Mayberry while he was rummaging through the attic at the home of his friend, John Hamann, whom he was visiting. It was printed in Wurtemburg, Germany, in 1565 from a translation made by Martin Luther, who died in 1546. The title page is illuminated and the pages are as legible as the day they came from the press. The binding is of vellum with brass corners. The book was given to Hamann by his father-in-law, but it was thought that it had been lost or stolen. Hamann has given it to Mayberry.

Florist Club Plans Shows.

The St. Louis Florist Club proposes to hold a flower show in November, 1907, provided $10,000 is subscribed for premiums and expenses. Whatever money is not used will be divided pro rata among the subscribers, and if there is a surplus it is to be donated to charitable institutions. Frank A. Weber heads the committee in charge of the subscriptions.

HE MAY GET MEDAL FOR RESCUING GIRL.



ROSCOE KRING.
PHOTO BY ZAHN.

CARNEGIE MEDAL FOR SAVING GIRL

Brave Act of Roscoe Kring of East St. Louis Has Been Investigated.

Roscoe Kring, son of A. O. Kring, one of the old-time druggists of East St. Louis, will probably be the recipient of one of the Carnegie gold badges for heroism. Mr. Kring does not aspire to the title of hero, but his intimate friends insist that he was born in that class. For several years he has been a leader among East St. Louis athletes and is regarded as being one of the most expert as well as strongest swimmers at the other end of the bridge.

This accomplishment is the one that brought him to the attention of the ironmaster, who has frequently said that he placed a brave man before all others. There is living in East St. Louis a pretty 16-year-old girl, who also thinks that Mr. Kring, who is nine years her senior, is a brave man. She is Miss Marjorie Gilligan, and if it had not been for Kring's early training she would not now be in the land of the living.

Oct. 12, 1904, Miss Gilligan was a member of a fishing party which went to Pittsburg Lake. Miss Marjorie is an ardent fisherwoman and prides herself upon being able to hold her own with the most skilled followers of Isaak Walton of the opposite sex. But Miss Marjorie has not demonstrated that she can hold her own with a mermaid. On the occasion in question she walked out on a log which projected over the water and then slipped off into the lake.

Kring heard the splash of water as the young woman disappeared, and without waiting to make inquiries or divest himself of any part of his clothing jumped into the water near where Miss Gilligan had gone down. When he reappeared he had Miss Gilligan with him and assisted her to the shore.

One of Mr. Carnegie's representatives has been in East St. Louis investigating the story of the rescue. He gave it as his opinion that Mr. Kring would get one of the Carnegie medals.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes. "First in everything."

Manager Short's Dilemma.

Manager Short of the Olympic Theater is receiving many mail orders for seats for the Mansfield engagement so vaguely expressed that it is impossible to fill them. In a number of instances the date for which the seats are desired is not specified. One especially curious application read: "Please reserve me two front seats, Mr. Mansfield's Peer Gynt presentation, for which I inclose you $4," and then came the postscript: "My wife has just told me she sent you yesterday the order for these seats, so please cancel mine and return this money." Mr. Short makes the earnest request that orders by mail be expressed definitely enough to enable them to be filled with reasonable assurance of satisfaction to their writers.

Free Hair Remedy

Quickly Removes Dandruff, Stops Falling Hair, Changes Gray or Faded Hair and Grows New Hair.

TRY A FREE PACKAGE AT ONCE.



Remember, Foso actually grows hair, stops hair falling out, removes dandruff; insures a luxuriant growth of eyebrows and eyelashes, and changes gray or faded hair. I don't ask you to take my word for it. Fill out free coupon below and mail today.

FREE PACKAGE COUPON.

Fill in your name and address on dotted lines below and mail it to J. F. Stokes, Mgr., 5782 Foso Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio, enclosing a 2c stamp to help cover postage, and by return mail you will receive a free 10-cent trial package that will delight you.

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Give full address—write plainly.

Our Xmas Offerings Now Ready

You can find many beautiful gifts that will please him in our Men's Furnishing Department. These mentioned may assist you to make your selections:

Fancy Vests in separate box.....98c to $2.98
Beautiful Ties in fancy box.....25c to $1.00
Silk Mufflers, all styles, in box.....50c to $3.00
Fancy Suspenders, in fancy box.....25c to $1.00
And many other things that will please.

Tremendous Shirt Bargains
Men's finest Stiff Bosom Shirts, also some high-grade pleat fronts in many fancy up-to-date patterns; they are all standard brands, such as Cluett, Monarch, etc.; your choice of this grand assortment of high-grade fancy and dress Shirts on Friday at..... 89c

$1 Belts and Bags, 50c
A great quantity of Belts and Bags; it is an all-grained leather Bag, with gilded frame, rich embossed lining, containing small coin purse, reduced for Friday..... 50c

50c Fleeced Underwear, 29c
We have cut the price again and on Friday we offer 17 dozen more Suits of our 50c fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers, while they last; Friday, at..... 29c

Extraordinary Value
75c Angora Tams, white, gray, red and blue; while they last, 9c and..... 19c

50c Box Paper, 25c
Old English Linen Papestries; 48 sheets of paper and 48 envelopes, 11x7; a Xmas card given with each box of stationery..... 25c

(Main Floor, Aisle 6.)



Holiday Furs

We have just closed out from Keiser Bros., large fur manufacturers, a large sample line of Misses' and Children's Sets, in all styles and all known furs; some of these sets are worth up to $8.00—Friday $5.95, $4.95, $3.49, $2.98, $1.98, $1.49 and as cheap as..... 98c

Silk Lambrequins, $1.69
Beautiful Silk Lambrequins; in plain and floral designs; trimmed with heavy knotted fringe, suitable for piano or mantel drapery; special, Friday..... $1.69

Underwear
Children's extra heavy Fleece-lined Underwear—odds and ends—regular 15c, 25c and 35c values; at..... 12½c

Ladies' Vests and Drawers
Ladies' absolutely all-wool odds and ends Vests and Drawers; finished seams, silk binding, exceptionally good 75c values, at a bargain; price only..... 49c

$4.00 Long Glace Kid Gloves, $3.00
Ladies' 16-button Mousquetaire Kid Gloves; $4.00 value; gloves that fit and wear; all sizes; special, pair..... $3.00

Children's Leggins
A splendid line of Children's Leggins; while they last, 25c, 15c and..... 10c

25c Boys' Hose, 20c
Extraordinary value in boys' heavy ribbed fleece-lined Hose; bargain price..... 20c



$2.00 Ladies' Hats for 48c

We have on hand about 175 Ladies' and Misses' French Felt Hats, trimmed with wings, coque feathers, and nicely finished off with steel buckle. These Hats sold readily thirty days ago for $2, but will place them on sale Friday for only..... 48c

$1.50 Baby Caps and Bonnets, for..... 39c

Wings, Birds, Breasts, and all kinds of Fancy Feathers, worth up to 75c, only..... 10c

Low Prices Our Chief Attraction

Schaper Bros.

Broadway and Franklin Av.
The Store of Bargains

Wall Paper

Our entire stock left over from this year will be closed out during this month at a great sacrifice.

Papers worth $1.00 for...50c
Papers worth 75c for...30c
Papers worth 50c for...25c
Papers worth 25c for...10c
Papers worth 10c for...5c
Papers worth 5c for...2c

We have first-class workmen to do your work.

Baby Caps

About 275 nice, clean Baby Caps and Bonnets (not a soiled one in the lot); made of silk and velvet and some bearskin; they are positively worth $1.50; choice of the lot, Friday..... 39c

Millinery Dept.

$3 Children's Coats, $1.59

Children's all-wool cloth Coats; double-breasted effect; finished with fancy braid; while they last, $3 values..... $1.59



50c Dressing Sacques 25c
9 TO 11.
Women's Flannelette Dressing Sacques; on sale from 9 to 11 tomorrow at..... 25c

25c Gingham Aprons, 10c
9 TO 10.
Women's Aprons; made of best quality gingham; on sale for one hour..... 10c

$2.00 Gas Chandeliers, Complete 98c



50c Jardinieres
Nicely Decorated and fancy shapes; every one perfect, and worth 50c; special for Friday..... 19c

$2.00 Gas Chandeliers
Complete with globes and burners; special for..... 98c

20c Cuspidors
Nicely decorated in blue and white patterns; while 500 last, specially priced at..... 5c

$1.00 Slop Jars
Complete with ball and lid; special for..... 49c

50c Tea Sets
Consisting of Butter Dish, Sugar Bowl, Spoonholder and Cream Pitcher; Friday, extra special for..... 29c

China Cups
Only 1000 Fine China Cups and Saucers; worth 20c; for Friday, while they last, each..... 5c

10c Men's Handkerchiefs, 5c
Lot of Men's Jap silk embroidered initial Handkerchiefs; all initials; hemstitched borders; regular price 10c; on sale Friday, special..... 5c

75c Box Handkerchiefs 39c
Ladies' fancy boxed white hemstitched initial Handkerchiefs; fine soft finish; all initials; good value 75c; Friday special, per box of ½ doz., only..... 39c

25c Lace Chemisettes 10c
100 dozen Ladies' all-linen, handmade Battenberg Lace Chemisettes; worth 25c; on sale Friday, special, each..... 10c

98c Embroidered Flannels, 49c
Lot of remnants of all-wool embroidered Flannels; white, hemstitched and embroidered edges; 1¼ to 2½ yards each; worth 75c and 98c; to close out the remnants, per yard, only..... 49c

$6. $8 and $10 Skirts. $2.98



We will place on sale Friday morning at 8 a. m. another lot of fine Skirts; regular $6.00, $8.00 and $10 values; made of Panama cravenette cloth, cheviot, broadcloth and voile; the bargains you will find here Friday will beat any you have ever seen; come early, so as to get best choice—Friday only..... $2.98

$3 Waists at $1.98

Made of mohair, nun's veiling and albatross, trimmed in lace and fine tucks; many handsome embroidered fronts; in all the new shades; special Friday— $1.98



$3 Girls' Coats, $1.95
Sale Starts promptly at 8 o'clock
Made of all-wool material, in fancy mixtures; trimmed in braid and buttons; special Friday..... $1.95

$1.50 Pictures, 39c
Framed Pictures, size 16x20; 2-inch all-gilt molding, up-to-date subjects, suitable for dining room, bedroom, sitting room, etc; worth $1.50; Friday only..... 39c

25c Floor Matting, a Yard, 10c
Friday we will place on sale 30 rolls of high-grade Matting, all nice colors and perfect; call early and make a selection; while the lot lasts Friday, a yard..... 10c

$2 Pictures, 98c
Framed Pictures, 16x20 in size; made of all gilt; 6-inch molding; fitted with popular subjects, viz.: Fruits, flowers, religious, and photo coloring; regularly worth $2.00; special Friday..... 98c

$2.50 Hearth Rugs, $1.25
150 will be placed on sale Friday; size 30x60 inches; 12 patterns; just the thing for an Xmas gift; see them Friday at..... $1.25

$3 Pearl Pictures, $1.48
Veneer Pictures, size 12x24; made of brown walnut molding, fitted with the most beautiful oval-shaped pearl subjects on the market. Buy your friend a picture; worth $3.00; Friday..... $1.48

$7 Brusseline Rugs, $3.98
These Rugs are the regular 9x12 size, made in handsome medallion and Oriental designs; can be used on either side; regular $7.00 value; sale price Friday..... $3.98

Extra Special Bargain Day, Friday

Friday will positively be the greatest day in history of bargains in our Silk, Black and Colored Dress Goods Departments. (Main Floor.)

39c GRANITE CLOTH, 19c
Remnants of all-wool Black Granite Cloth, Melrose, Storm Serge, Mohair, Panama, etc.; skirt and dress lengths; 39c and 50c quality; Friday only, per yard..... 19c

$1.00 BLACK SILK FOR 59c
36-inch wide Black Peau de Soie and Taffeta Silk for Skirts, waists and full dresses; sold by us for $1.00; Friday, great bargain, per yard..... 59c

9 O'CLOCK SPECIAL.
For early Friday morning shoppers we place on sale one case of best 10c Black Sateen, yard..... 3½c

MAIN FLOOR, AISLE ONE.
Remnants of Silk Velvet and Dress Velveteen in all colors up to 12 yard lengths; 50c and 75c value; Friday bargain, per yard..... 25c

49c WORSTED SUITINGS, 17c
An immense purchase of Worsted Suitings enables us to offer 5000 yards of Checks, Plaids and Mixtures; 36 inches wide; Friday special, yard..... 17c

SPECIAL REMNANTS SALE
Nun's Veiling, Batiste, Cashmere, Albatross; in lengths 1 to 3½ yards; all light shades; slightly soiled; the regular 50c goods; yard..... 19c

$1.75 DRESS GOODS, 59c
3500 yards of All-wool Cheviots, Homespuns, Serges, Coverts; this is positively $1.75 value; all colors and fully 56 in. wide, Friday, yard..... 59c

39c NUB HOMESPUN, 15c.
50 full pieces of 32 inches wide heavy Nub Suitings; come in brown, blue, green, mixed effects; just the goods for an inexpensive Xmas gift, yard..... 15c

Great Reductions in Slightly Soiled Bed Spreads

98c Spreads, 69c
Lot No. 1 consists of slightly soiled Spreads, in white and colored; in plain hemmed and fringed; our regular 98c goods; Friday, while they last, only..... 69c

$1.49 Spreads, 98c
Lot No. 2 consists of white and colored Spreads; in plain hem and fringed; worth up to $1.49; for Friday special..... 98c

$2.50 Ladies' Shoes, 98c
Women's $2.00 and $2.50 exceptionally well-made, stylish Shoes for dress and street wear; Shoes that will give absolute satisfaction; they possess all the requirements of good Shoes; all leathers; light, medium and heavy soles; in lace, patent leather and Blucher styles; on Friday (Main Floor, Aisle 1) for..... 98c

Visit Our BARGAIN BASEMENT For Holiday Specials

8 1-3c Apron Gingham 6 1-2c
8½c Checked Apron Gingham, all colors and size checks to select from; same count and weight as Amoskeags, until sold..... 6½c

9 O'Clock Special
10c Shirting Percale 5c
10c Light Shirting Percale, in stripes and figures; always sold regularly off the piece for 10c; special, at 9 o'clock, per yard..... 5c

$2.50 Lace Curtains, 98c
Extra fine Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, 60 inches wide; only 100 pairs; come early; Friday, in Basement, per pair..... 98c

$1.00 Bookfold Napkins, 49c
22x22 All-Linen Bookfold Napkins, pansy, ivy, dice and other pretty designs. Friday, in Basement, per dozen..... 49c

Very Special
In fine Half-Wool Dress Goods; regular 20c values; Friday, in Basement, Aisle 3, per yard..... 6½c

3 O'Clock Special
2000 yards of good quality Fleeced Lined Flannelettes, in some nice patterns; in all colors; in Basement, for one hour, per yard..... 2½c

Special Shoe Sale
500 pairs of Ladies' fine winter weight Shoes; positively $1.50 values; Friday, in Basement, per pair..... 25c

Special Skirt Sale
Extra Special Friday, another lot of those $4.00 and $5.00 Dress Skirts, elegantly made; 100 styles; at..... $1.98
Aisle 5—Basement.

35c Golf Gloves, 10c
Friday we will clean up 50 dozen Ladies' 35c Golf Gloves at less than one-third value; per pair..... 10c
(Basement, Aisle 6.)

$1.00 Shirts, 39c
About 75 dozen Sample Dress Shirts, all sizes, 12½ to 17, for men and Boys; worth up to $1.00, at, each..... 39c
(Basement, Aisle 6.)

10c Outing Flannel, 6 1-2c
Extra good quality of light Outing Flannel, in some very good patterns, per yard..... 6½c
(Basement.)

$2.00 Comforts, 98c
Another lot of those white Cotton Comforts on sale Friday; Aisle 5, Basement—each..... 98c

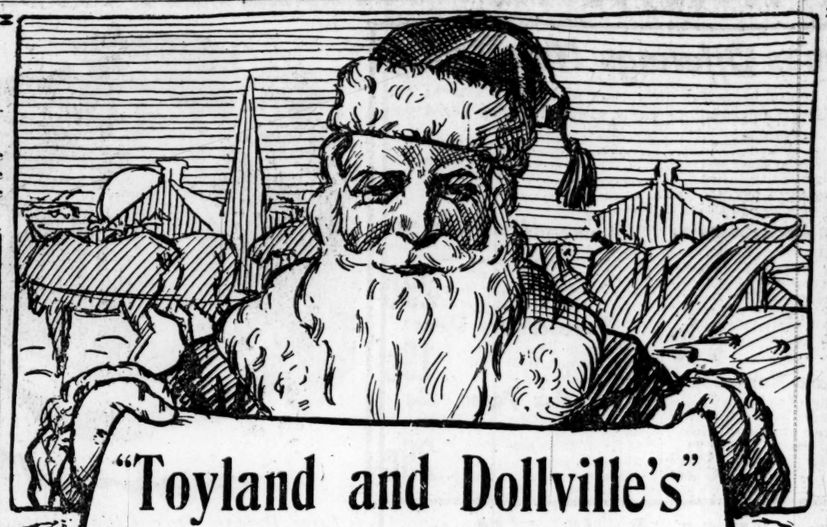
10 O'Clock Special
10-4 Blankets 18c
For Friday we offer just 250 10-4 Blankets, as long as they last; Aisle 5—Basement—each..... 18c

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Xmas Cards

Buy now while the assortments are full and complete.

8c Cards, Friday..... 5c
15c Cards, Friday.....10c
25c Cards, Friday.....15c



"Toyland and Dollville's"

Special features for Friday point to unusual savings—offerings that will very materially lessen your gift-giving expense

$1.25 Horse and Cart, 75c—Large size—hitched to a two-wheel cart—worth $1.25—Friday for 75c

75c Toy Tables, 45c—Mission finished—round top—folding legs—worth 75c—Friday 45c

75c Toy Trunks, 39c—Saratoga style—well made—
14-inch size—worth 75c—Friday 39c
16-inch size—worth 85c—Friday 48c
18-inch size—worth $1.00—Friday 74c

75c Iron Toys, 50c—Ice Wagons, Hansoms, Trucks, Fire Engines and Hook and Ladders—worth 75c—Friday 50c

$1.25 Gravity Railroad, 95c—Latest toy novelty—Incline Gravity Railroad—one car goes up and the other down—worth $1.25—Friday 95c

$7.00 Jointed Dolls, $4.48—Extra large size—"Columbia" Jointed Dolls—with finest quality Angora sewed wig, moving eyes, full ball-jointed body—worth $7.00—Friday for $4.48

50c Kid-Body Dolls, 39c—Jointed limbs, sewed wig, moving eyes—worth 50c—Friday 39c

$5.00 Jointed Dolls, $3.98—Large size Ball-Jointed Dolls—with parted sewed wig, moving eyes with lashes—shoes and stockings—worth $5.00—Friday for $3.98

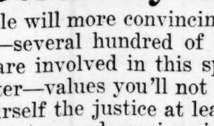
$2.00 Dressed Dolls, $1.25—Fancy Dressed Dolls—in pretty colored dress effects—with hats to match—worth $2.00—Friday..$1.25

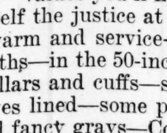
$1.50 Blackboards, 98c—Large size—folding—with revolving chart—worth $1.50—Friday..98c

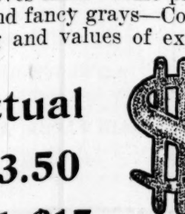
$2.50 Sewing Machines, $1.05—Large size Toy Sewing Machines—sew like the large ones—worth $2.50—Friday $1.05

50c Mechanical Autos, 39c—Tut-Tut Autos—run every way, while the rider blows his horn—worth 50c—Friday 39c

$2.50 Toy Pianos, $1.98—Large size—with 20 keys—mahogany finish—worth $2.50—Friday $1.98







$5.00 Limited Mail Hand Cars, $3.98—With chain gear—runs easily—worth $5.00—Friday for $3.98

$5.00 Magic Lanterns, $3.48—Large size—with powerful lenses—complete with full set of views—worth $5.00—Friday $3.48

$1.00 Soldier Suits, 75c—Policemen, Soldier and Firemen Suits—worth $1.00—Friday 75c

$1.25 Toy Trains, 69c—Mechanical train, consisting of engine, tender, two coaches and oval track—worth $1.25—Friday 69c

$5.00 Turn-Table Train, $3.98—Latest novelty—engine and cars, large track, with automatic turntable—very entertaining—worth $5.00—Friday..$3.98

$1.25 Tea Sets, 75c—23 large size pieces—imported china—fancy shapes—with teapot, sugar and creamer—worth $1.25—Friday..75c

75c Iron Stoves, 50c—Heavy Iron Toy Cook Stoves—with cooking utensils—worth 75c—Friday.....50c

$1.75 Folding Go-Carts, $1.23—Large size—steel wheels—complete with parasol—worth $1.75—Friday $1.23

$1.25 Steam Engines, 79c—Large size—upright—with planished steel boiler—complete with valves and whistle—worth $1.25—Friday 79c

25c Toy Drums, 17c—Skin heads, fancy rims—complete with sticks—worth 25c—Friday 17c

75c Toy Chairs, 48c—Toy Rocking Chairs—good size—strongly made—worth 75c—Friday 48c

$4.00 Jointed Dolls, $2.98—Large size "Columbia" Jointed Dolls—sewed curly wig, moving eyes, ball-jointed body—shoes and stockings—worth $4.00—Friday $2.98

$1.50 Kid-Body Dolls, $1.00—Large size—hip, knee and arm joints—bisque heads, moving eyes, sewed wigs—worth $1.50—Friday for $1.00

$8.50 Rocking Horses, $6.48—Large size—skin-covered, on combination platform and rocker—worth $8.50—Friday for $6.48

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Make sensible presents—get yours at Famous.

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BROADWAY AND MORGAN.

$2.25 and $2.50 Lace Curtains

Friday at Famous—choice per pair **$1.39**

Only about 550 pairs—representing the dropped styles and small quantities of an Eastern mill—purchased by Famous at a large cash discount—Nottingham Curtains—from 4 to 15 pairs of a pattern in white and Arabian; copies of Renaissance, Cluny and Brussels; all in 3½ yard lengths and worth up to $2.50 a pair—Friday, at Famous, choice, pair.... 1.39

75c and $1.00 Imported Curtain Ends, 35c

675 samples of Brussels Net Curtains—1½ to 2 yards long—a number of choice styles; worth 75c to $1—Friday, choice... 35c

$13.50 Tapestry Room Rugs, $9.50

9x12 foot size—a number of new and choice patterns—worth $13.50—Friday..... 9.50

$18.00 Tapestry Rugs for $12.50

A large assortment of best makes of Tapestry Rugs, including Smith's, Sanford's and Dunlap's—9x12 foot size—Rugs worth up to $18.00; Friday, choice of a number of snappy patterns for..... 12.50



Boys' Splendid Suits and Warm Overcoats

$5 and $6 Qualities Again Friday for $3.65



It's a saving chance you certainly should not miss.

Novelty Suits—Russian and blouse sailor style—of all-wool serges and Scotch cloths—for boys 2½ to 8 years old—

Double-Breasted and Norfolk Suits—For boys 7 to 16 years—of all-wool serges and fancy mixtures—

Novelty Overcoats—In plain black and colors—of fancy mixtures—2½ to 8 year sizes—

Long Overcoats—Single and double-breasted, fancy Scotch cloths, solid grays and black—6 to 16 year sizes—

Short Reefers of Gray Friezes—Large storm collars—extra heavy linings—6 to 16 year sizes—actual $5 and $6 values—Friday at Famous..... 3.65

Boys' Novelty Overcoats

$3.50, $4 and $4.50 Values for $2.75

Sizes 3 to 8 years—plain colors, Oxfords and brown, with military buttons and belt, embroidered design on sleeves—handsome little Coats, well made and perfect in fit and finish—cannot be duplicated anywhere for less than $3.50 to $4.50—Friday 2.75

Boys' Fixings

Practical Xmas gifts for boys, specially priced for Friday.

(Second Floor.)

Boys' $2.00 Sweaters—Honeycomb knit—sizes 24 to 34..... 1.39
Boys' $1.50 Flannel Shirts—Assorted colors—sizes 12 to 14½..... 98c
Boys' 75c Wright's Fleeced Health Underwear—sizes 24 to 34..... 48c
Boys' 75c and $1.00 Gloves and Mittens—All kinds... 48c
Boys' 25c Xmas Suspenders—1 pair in a box..... 25c
Boys' 75c Xmas Neckwear—Reversible 4-in-hands... 39c
Boys' $1.50 All-Wool Sweaters—Plain colors and college stripes..... 95c
Boys' $1.00 Xmas Mufflers—In all colors..... 50c
Boys' $2.00 Bath Robes—Turkish terry cloth—sizes 8 to 16..... 98c
Boys' "Buster Brown" Patent Leather Belts—In colors..... 25c
Boys' $1.75 White Dress Shirts—Plain or plaited 1.25
Boys' 75c Blouses—White and colors—sizes 6 to 15.. 45c
Boys' 39c Heavy Fleeced Winter Underwear—Sizes 24 to 34..... 25c
Boys' 25c Heavy Ribbed Stockings—Sizes 6 to 10.. 19c
Boys' 35c Windsor Ties—Big assortment..... 21c
Boys' 75c Leggings—Canvas and Jersey..... 48c

Women's Patent Boots

$3.00 Quality for $2.10

A tempting Friday special in the Shoe Section.



Patent Colt—New plain high arch last—lace or button—spike heels—flexible soles—mat kid tops—

Patent Colt—New swell Potay last—with tip—lace, Blucher or button—flexible or extension soles—Cuban or Military heels—fine mat kid tops—

Patent Colt—College Blucher or College button—new knob last—extension soles—mat kid top—Spanish heels—all sizes and widths—standard $3 qualities—Friday only, at Famous, choice for..... 2.10

Women's Seamless Felt Juliets—Hand-turned, with ornament in front; low, comfortable leather heels, grey, brown, blue or black; regular $1.50 value—Friday 1.10

Women's Corsets

$2, $2.50 and $2.75 Qualities



For 98c Friday

An unusual purchase permits this extraordinary offering—French Flexibone Corsets—the Princess hip and high bust—white linen coutil—very well boned—hose supporters on front and sides—Corsets absolutely worth $2, $2.50 and $2.75—Friday at Famous—choice 98c

$1.50 and $1.75 Corsets for 59c

Flexibone Moulded Corsets—steels that do not break—the new medium high bust and low bust—white and drab; also fancy brocaded Corsets—absolutely $1.50 and $1.75 values; Friday..... 59c

Women's Gowns

Of extra quality flannelette—Hubbard style—collar of plain material—scalloped edges—89c value—Friday 59c

Women's and Misses' 49c Underskirts for 25c

Of heavy flannelette—blue and pink stripes—deep flounce—49c value—Friday 25c

75c House Sacques, 59c

Two styles—of black and white flannelette—tucked back, full sleeves with cuff, lined front and yoke, ruffle around skirt—also Ripple Sacques, sailor collar with belt—75c values—Friday..... 59c

Children's 49c White Aprons

Hubbard style—yoke of embroidery, trimmed, hemstitched ruffle—all sizes—Friday 25c

Infants' 49c Sacques

Of cream daisy cloth—pink and blue trimming—Friday 25c

Men's Half Hose



Silk embroidered, full seamless, gray, tan, black and fancy colors—packed 4 pair in a Holiday box—regular value 75c—Friday, per box, of 4 pair. 50c

Men's All-Wool Jersey Coats—Black, navy and oxfords, elegantly tailored—regular value $4.50 . 3.50

$2.00 Pictures for 95c



150 hand-painted Pastel Pictures, very appropriately framed in beautiful gold burnished, ornamental oval frames, size, 11x14 inches. These pictures are all painted by the gifted pastel artist, "Chandler," and are sold regularly at $2.00—for Friday's special selling only—choice for..... 95c

39c to 45c Pipes, 23c

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Women's $8 Mixture Coats..... $5.98
$25.00 Full-Lined Coats—loose and fitted backs..... $15.00
Women's $15.00 Suits—solid colors and mixtures..... $8.75
Women's $30.00 Suits—broadcloths and fancy mixtures..... $15.00

Women's $13.50 Voile Skirts for.... $7.98
$12 and $15 Fox Scarfs..... $8.50
$10.00 Fox and Opossum Scarfs for.. $5.00
Children's $3 to $4 Dresses for..... $1.98
Children's $4.98 Dresses for..... $3.25
Women's $4 Silk Petticoats—colors and black..... $2.98

$1.25 to $1.75 Xmas Fans for 88c



Silk Gauze, Spangled and Lace-Trimmed Bone Stick Fans, full bone-ribbed, fancy hand-carved sticks, Chantilly Lace Edges, some styles appliqued with Chantilly Lace—every Fan in white—spangles of polished steel—double gauze silk, 7 and 8-inch size—$1.25 to 11.75 values—each one packed in a separate box—Friday, choice of any for.. 88c

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All-Silk Scarfs, with full hemstitched borders, light blue, pink, white and black—full length and width—$1.69 values—Friday—(Neckwear Section)..... 98c

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Women's imported Black Cotton Hose—full regular made, extra double sole, high spliced heel and toe, an excellent 25c stocking, Friday, only 15c

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Kayser's black silk-lined Cashmere or Cashmerette Gloves for women—black, fancy and plaid silk lining—two clasps—Friday for 50c

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Fancy trimmed Pin Cushions, packed in individual boxes—good styles—light blue, pink, green red, yellow and lavender—Friday choice 59c

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45c All-Wool Twill Flannel—Blue, gray, scarlet, navy, yd... 29c

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$8.00 Large Size Hemstitched Table Sets—20-inch Napkins, set for..... 5.50

25c Lamb Fleece Suitings—Limited designs, at yard..... 7½c

15c Lawns—Plain white, pink, blue, etc., at yard..... 10c

10c Heavy Linen Hemmed Towels, each..... 15c

10c Hemmed Huck Towels—Size 17x34—each..... 7½c

7½c Heavy Twill Crash Toweling—18-inch—bleach; yard..... 4c

12½c Unbleached All-Linen 17-inch Crash Toweling, yard..... 9c

$1.75 to $2.50 Bleached Damask Napkins, in half dozens, for... 75c

Remnants of 40c and 45c Cream Table Damask—60 inches wide; yard..... 25c

Short Lots of 10c Dress Ginghams—in staple styles only; yard..... 5c

60c Flannelette Skirt Patterns—With 12-inch flounce, each... 39c

RAN AWAY TO TRAMP.

Two Boys From Masonic Home Found at St. Charles.

The police at St. Charles are holding Claude Hunt, 12 years old, and Jake Hoover, 9 years old, until they can hear from the Masonic Home at 5351 Delmar boulevard, from which the boys escaped while on their way to school Wednesday.

The two boys, cold, wet and hungry, were picked up at the Wabash depot in St. Charles Wednesday night by Car Inspector Elvin Jones, who provided them with food and shelter, and turned them over to the police Thursday.

The boys at first said that they were on their way from Sparta, Ill., to Hiawatha, Kan., where Claude's mother lives, but later admitted that they had escaped from the Masonic Home. They said they broke rank and escaped from the grounds near the Jewish Hospital. They boarded a westbound freight train, climbing into a box car, and rode to Bonfils, where Conductor King put them off. They followed the railroad tracks to St. Charles, seven miles.

At St. Charles they stayed near the Wabash depot to catch another train when Inspector Jones got them.

SHAH OF PERSIA DYING.

Doctors Say Ruler Cannot Live Over 24 Hours.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—A special cable to the Herald from Teheran, Persia, reports that the Shah is dying, and says his doctors admit he cannot live 24 hours. The dispatch says the Shah is in a semi-conscious condition and has lost the power of speech.

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For a $30.00 Garment, you pay $15.00 and save $15.00.
For a $35.00 Garment, you pay $17.50 and save $17.50.
For a $50.00 Garment, you pay $25.00 and save $25.00.
For a $60.00 Garment, you pay $30.00 and save $30.00.
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Norfolk Suits in cheviot mixtures; knickerbockers; sizes 8 to 16.

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THE REPUBLIC BUILDING
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ROOSEVELT WAS JOKING WHEN HE FLAYED FRISCO

'Tis Said He Had Understanding With Californians to Whale Them.

MESSAGE FOR JAPANESE

President Meant Language to Be Taken in General Way by Americans.

NEGOTIATING A TREATY

Exclusion of Coolies Here and American Laborers by Japan Proposed.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6. — President Roosevelt did not mean what he said when he lambasted Californians for excluding the Japanese from their schools. It was only one of his jokes, meant to make the Japanese feel good. Poor Loeb must have forgotten to send along the diagram of this joke, for it is seriously asserted today that the President had an understanding with the Californians to whale them good and hard for effect's sake while he and the Japanese Ambassador fixed up their troubles. Some people say the President has a very rare and peculiar sense of humor, while others say it is a wise President who gets from under quickly.

Mr. Roosevelt hopes and confidently expects to be able to settle the troublesome Japanese problem that has arisen because of the exclusion of Japanese students from the schools in San Francisco. Neither he nor any member of the Administration has the remotest idea that there will be war or even a breach of the friendly relations between Japan and this country. The basis of the settlement on which the President is working is this:

1. The negotiation of a treaty between the United States or Japan or appropriate legislation by Congress to prevent the entrance into this country of Japanese laborers.

2. The arrangement of a similar prohibition on the part of Japan to prevent the entrance into that country of American workingmen.

3. The acceptance by Japan of the explanation given in regard to the exclusion of Japanese children from the public schools of San Francisco.

It is not known just what progress has been made in the direction in arranging for the exclusion of Japanese coolies by treaty, although the matter is now being formulated. It is believed that a treaty would be the best vehicle by which the arrangement could be made operative, as it would afford the minimum grounds for irritation among the lower classes in Japan. The subject has been discussed generally among officials of the administration and with those most interested representing in Congress Pacific Coast constituencies.

Japan Said to Agree.

It is further understood that the proposition to exclude Japanese laborers is fully acceptable to the Japanese authorities, who have for years desired to turn the tide of immigration in the direction of Korea and Manchuria.

The Government of Japan declined to entertain a suggestion that labor from that country should be employed in constructing the Panama Canal. It has always been the policy of Japan to frown upon the immigration of her people. This is now emphasized by the desire of Japan to build up and accentuate her power on the Asiatic mainland. It is positively known that Japan would welcome any treaty stipulation or legislative enactment prohibiting the entrance of Japanese laborers into the United States.

The proposition that American workingmen be prevented from entering Japan is entirely acceptable to the administration officials. It is impossible for Americans to compete in Japan with the cheap labor and consequently no Americans will seek employment in that country.

The plan of having Japanese laborers excluded by legislation, just as was done in regard to immigrants from China, is regarded as not likely to prove so satisfactory to the masses in Japan, although it is preferred by some of the Pacific Coast congressmen and is equally satisfactory to the President. Expert lawyers contend that under existing treaties in force between the United States and Japan nothing is needed but an ordinary act of Congress to accomplish the purpose which the President has in mind.

The last clause of the second article in the existing treaty provides: "It is, however, understood that the stipulation contained in this and the preceding article do not in any way affect the laws, ordinances or regulations with regard to trade, the immigration of laborers, police and public security which are in force, or which may hereafter be enacted in either of the two countries."

It is held that under the reservations contained in this clause an exclusion act could be passed and made as drastic as that now in existence relative to the admission of Chinese laborers.

Japan Asks No More.

The President believes this exclusion of Japanese laborers will finally settle the unpleasant conditions which have arisen, as he thinks the admission of this class has precipitated the trouble in San Francisco. The better class of Japanese students come to this country with the foundation laid for an education and are able to enter colleges and other higher institutions of learning. Japan has made it plain to the President that his explanations in regard to the situation in San Francisco is perfectly satisfactory and that nothing further is expected by the Government of that nation. It is to prevent a possible recurrence of such a situation that the President desires, either by treaty or legislation, to prevent the entrance hereafter of Japanese laborers into the United States.

It is believed the Senate would ratify a treaty providing for the exclusion of Japanese coolies, just as Chinese coolies are now prevented from entering, or that a bill for the same purpose could easily be passed through both branches of Congress.

The fact has now been sifted out that President Roosevelt did not intend any affront to the State of California when he wrote the Japanese chapter in his annual message. It has become apparent that the feature was chiefly intended for use among the Japanese masses and not to be taken seriously in this country; it was the amends honorable. The President took particular pains to spread the glad tidings among the California delegation in Congress that he did not have the slightest intention of employing the military power of the United States to coerce that State into admitting Japanese children into the public schools. He explained that he meant his language to be taken in a general and academic way and not construed too literally.

It has been suspected for the past 48 hours that some kind of a tacit understanding existed between the President and some of the California members of Congress. The President framed up his phrases for diplomatic effect and the Californians roared for home consumption.

The suggestion that actual hostilities between the United States and Japan may result from the San Francisco school incident is not taken seriously by senators; the question was not even mentioned as an item of gossip at a meeting of the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Republican senators refuse to admit that the doctrine of State's rights enters into the Japanese question, as now stated. They do not take kindly to Mr. Rayner's resolution calling upon the President to make a declaration to the entire world that the Federal Government in this country has no jurisdiction over public schools in any State.

Federal Right Not Involved.

It is considered unnecessary, as all declare the proposition is not involved. All agree in admitting that the Federal Government cannot control the public schools of any State.

"If there is any man who holds that the Federal Government can exercise control over the public schools of any State he is not fit to be in the United States Senate," said Senator Teller of Colorado. "The proposition is beyond controversy; every State has absolute jurisdiction over its public schools and may surround them with such restrictions and limitations as the legislature may consider proper. A treaty with a foreign nation may not conflict with law. Congress can pass an act repealing a treaty."

Senator Morgan of Alabama, the most confirmed of all State's rights advocates, declares that he will wait until some senator says the Government can control the public schools within a state before he will bother with the question. Senator Bacon of Georgia, another strong advocate of state's rights, said: "I am irreconcilably opposed to the proposition that the Federal Government can exercise jurisdiction over public schools in any state. It is so self-evident erroneous as to not admit of discussion. I do not believe Japan has any intention of making war with the United States because of the school question in San Francisco, unless that government had already reached a determination to begin hostilities and only sought a pretext."

Senator Tillman of South Carolina said: "The suggestion that the President or the Federal Government can control the public schools in a state is absurd."

MOORE TAKEN TO LEBANON.

LEBANON, Mo., Dec. 6.—Garland Moore, the mailcarrier who stabbed his sweetheart, Miss Clara West, to death at Bois d'Arc Tuesday night because she had refused to renew her promise to marry him, was brought here by Sheriff Horner of Greene County last night and placed in the Laclede County Jail.

Moore surrendered to Deputy Sheriff Dyer at 7 o'clock yesterday morning after lying in weeds near the home of his uncle, J. J. Gilliland, all night.

While there was no indication of mob violence at Bois d'Arc, as had been feared, the community was so shocked by the murder that it was thought Moore would be safer elsewhere. Moore says that he is sorry he stabbed his sweetheart and that he wishes he had killed himself.

SCOFFERS

Often Make the Stanchest Converts.

The man who scoffs at an idea or doctrine which he does not fully understand has at least the courage to show where he stands.

The gospel of Health has many converts who formerly laughed at the idea that coffee and tea, for example, ever hurt anyone. Upon looking into the matter seriously, often at the suggestion of a friend, such persons have found that Postum Food Coffee and a friend's advice have been their salvation.

"My sister was employed in an eastern city where she had to do calculating," writes an Oklahoma girl. "She suffered with headache until she was almost unfitted for duty.

"Her landlady persuaded her to quit coffee and use Postum and in a few days she was entirely free from headache. She told her employer about it, and on trying it, he had the same experience.

"My father and I have both suffered much from nervous headache since I can remember, but we scoffed at the idea advanced by my sister, that coffee was the cause of our trouble.

"However, we quit coffee and began using Postum. Father has had but one headache now in four years, due to a severe cold, and I have lost my headaches and sour stomach which I am now convinced came from coffee.

"A cup of good hot Postum is satisfying to me when I do not care to eat a meal. Circumstances caused me to locate in a new country and I feared I would not be able to get my favorite drink, Postum, but I was relieved to find that a full supply is kept here with a heavy demand for it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

MISSING BOY IS FOND OF COUNTRY.



HERMAN ELBRACHT

The parents of Herman Elbracht, 14 years old, who disappeared from his home, 2816 North Thirteenth street, Oct. 2, have been unable to find any trace of him. Herman was working in a furniture factory at Eleventh and Palm streets, when he went away.

Mrs. Elbracht says that her son had a great longing for the country. She thinks that Herman may be living on some farm.



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All $37.50, $42.50 and $47.00 values for $27.50

Tourist Coats

A large assortment in loose and semi-fitting Coats; actual value $20.00 to $27.50, for..... $14.75

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About 100 Suits in all shades and fancy mixtures; sizes 16 to 20 years; actual value $20.00 to $27.50, for $12.50

Xmas Presents

A beautiful assortment of Novelties will be found in our various new departments on the First Floor.

Furs

Our display of handsome Furs will only be appreciated when seen. We kindly invite your inspection. (See our window display.)

Buckles

Assorted designs in velvet covered boxes, worth 75c, for..... 50c

Gunmetal, oval shape, with stone settings, worth $1.00, for..... 50c

Colonial style, with fancy stone settings, worth $2.00, for..... $1.00

Handkerchiefs

½ dozen, embroidered, in box, for $1.00

½ dozen, in assorted patterns $1.50

½ doz., all-linen, cross-barred $3.00

1 doz., all-linen, cross barred, $2.00

1 dozen, very fine linen, cross barred $3.00

Neckwear

Fancy embroidered Collar and Cuff Sets, actual value 50c, for..... 25c

Swiss embroidered, worth 75c, for 50c

Mexican drawnwork, worth $1.50, for 75c

White Chiffon Stock, in separate box, regular value $1.00, for.... 50c

Bags

Handsome assortment in all styles and sizes.

An all-leather Bag, moire and leather lined, with coin purse, card case and mirror, worth $1.50, for $1.00

A Walrus, with outside pocket and mirror, worth $2.50, for..... $1.75

Genuine Walrus, leather lined, worth $3.95, for $2.95

A handsome genuine Walrus Bag, worth $10.00, for..... $6.00

Genuine Seal Gentlemen's Card Cases, worth $1.50, for..... $1.00

Genuine Alligator Card Case, worth $2.00, for $1.25

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"First in Everything."

California will secede from the treaty with Japan.

The Napoleonic idea of no Alps has at last reached the World's Fair grounds.

The President recommends that there shall be a shooting gallery in every school, and some day he may suggest an annex for boxing lessons.

Congress will take notice that the National Editorial Association has stamped with disapproval the proposed increase in rates on second-class matter.

ROOSEVELT'S GOOD COMBINATIONS

"It is unfortunate," says President Roosevelt in his message, "that our present laws should forbid all combinations, instead of sharply discriminating between those combinations which do good and those combinations which do evil." And in another place he says: "What we need is not vainly to try to prevent all combinations, but to secure such rigorous adequate control and supervision of the combinations as to prevent their injuring the public or existing in such form as inevitably to threaten injury—for the mere fact that a combination has secured practically complete control of a necessary of life, would, under any circumstances, show that such combination was to be presumed to be adverse to the public interest."

The President does not speak as if he were very sure of himself. If combinations which secure complete control of a necessary of life are presumed to be adverse to the public interest, why allow them to be formed on the theory that they are good combinations and then try to protect the public interest from possible injury by strict regulation and control?

In the Northern Securities case Judge Thayer declared that a monopoly per se a menace and against the public interest, whether it actually exerted the power to injure or not. The mere power, latent or actual, was a menace. How will President Roosevelt ascertain whether a combination is good or evil? The conservative opinion, from the standpoint of American tradition, is that, as Judge Thayer put it, all monopoly power is evil and ought to be prohibited.

We have witnessed the growth of combination, and our experience is that it tends inevitably to monopoly and public injury. Therefore was the rate-regulation bill passed, and the meat inspection law. Is experience to count for nothing? Is it sound statesmanship to permit a combination to form, on the plea that it will work good when we have learned that any combination assumes, if it can, monopoly power and mercilessly exerts it? Why invite a guest of doubtful character into the house, on the hope, or belief, or pious wish, that he will not make off with the silver; and if he tries to do so that he can be prevented? Why not exclude him altogether?

Again, American experience in regulation and control is not encouraging. It has proven itself a doubtful cure of a disease which might better have been prevented. Combinations have been controlled to the extent of dissolution. But they recombine on another basis and the same wrongs are committed again and again.

Moreover, the questions presses: will the Government regulate and control the good combines or will the good combines regulate and control the Government? The knavish resources of monopoly seem to be unlimited. Trust lawyers are fertile-witted men, and it is notorious that some of the worst monopolies are well represented in the Government. Mr. Roosevelt himself had experience of this when he sought to procure the passage of the rate bill and the meat inspection bill.

There is no middle ground. Monopoly is an evil thing. There is no good in it, and to permit it in any form is to throw open the doors to every abuse of irresponsible power. It must be crushed, not tolerated and regulated. The alternative is government ownership, which Mr. Roosevelt professes to hold in special horror. But if his views, as expressed in his message, prevail, he will have done more than any other single influence to drive the country to that very issue.

By merely keeping our large navy up to its present rank we may avoid financial wreck.

A COMMONPLACE TRAGEDY.

The tragedy of two good women, a good man and a divorce is unfortunately commonplace when it comes out once more in the St. Louis courts. It is so commonplace and so tragic that as a rule the only thing it seems possible to do with it is to make a joke of it.

It is hardly necessary to explain that one of the good women is the wife of the other's son. Of course, they live together in the same house and the good man in the case seems now to one woman better as a son than he is as a husband and to the other better as a husband than he is as a son. For years while the tragedy is developing, both think him the best man in the world, and the issue which makes the end in tragedy inevitable is of which he shall be best to.

Those who think they can decide questions of this kind by divorce laws, national or otherwise, have not gone far into the questions which decide human happiness or misery.

There are two solutions possible which no legislature can enact. One is patience and the other kindness, but they solve nothing unless they work together and it is a very old "problem" to get even one of them to work at a time.

The 76 persons killed and the 70 injured, in hunting in the past 11 months, would have fared better if football had been their game.

PARCELS POST FACTS.

A considerable part of the $250,000,000 which Americans are said to lose annually because they have no satisfactory parcels post, is lost at the Christmas season, which is the most active parcels shipping season. Hence the possibility of obtaining a parcels post such as other nations enjoy is one of the most practical things to discuss at this time of the year. Among other useful and informing articles, the Christmas Post-Dispatch gives all the latest facts regarding this branch of the postal service.

We have a postal arrangement for sending small parcels, but it is chiefly for the convenience of foreigners. When an Englishman visits St. Louis, he can send his home folks Christmas gifts at 12 cents a pound. But if a St. Louisan wishes to mail gifts to his friends at Kirkwood, Mo., the postal rate is 16 cents a pound.

The St. Louis Postoffice ships nearly 2,000,000 pounds of merchandise a year, and the amount is constantly growing, in spite of the high rates and the discrimination against domestic packages. This looks like a large business, but it is nothing in comparison with the service which the English and German postal authorities furnish the people of those countries.

An English merchant or any other person in that country can mail a parcel weighing 8 pounds for 20 cents, or 11 pounds, which is the limit, for 25 cents. In the United States these parcels would cost to ship, through the Postoffice, $1.28 and $1.76 respectively.

If a St. Louis merchant sends a pair of shoes weighing 4 pounds 10 miles out, he must pay 64 cents. In Germany the merchant can ship a box weighing up to 25 pounds the same distance for 6 cents.

It can be seen that the Christmas parcels business must cost the people of St. Louis thousands of dollars more than is necessary, and that the trade of St. Louis, not only at Christmas, but at all seasons, would be very much increased by the creation of a cheap parcels post.

But the small dealers are afraid that this might hurt their trade. This point is fully discussed in the Post-Dispatch Christmas number. All sides of the question are shown. The reader will find it well worth his while to study the problem, which is of great importance to all classes of the community. This is only one of a host of interesting features.

The Legislature is expected to ring off gambling on the telephone.

REAL CAPTAINS OF INDUSTRY.

According to Secretary Wilson's annual report, the value of the farm products for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906, was $6,800,000,000. This is the value at the farm, not at the market. It is what the farmer gets for his labor.

This value of the agricultural product for the year is approximately one-fifteenth of the total accumulated wealth of the entire United States.

In 1906 the farms of the United States produced enough to buy all the railroads of the country, omitting the wind and water in their capitalization.

The farm product of two months this year would buy the Steel Trust, actual value, and a handsome surplus would be left to buy other great plants.

The corn crop alone, valued at $1,100,000,000, would rebuild the entire Harriman and Hill railroad systems.

The corn crop, $640,000,000, would buy the Standard Oil.

After providing for our home people the farmers exported a surplus worth $876,000,000, the largest amount ever sent abroad. The farmers supplied 1000 pounds of meat to every family of 4.6 persons in the United States and had left one-eighth of the supply for foreigners.

Who are the captains of industry of this country? Who made the wealth of which we hear so much? Who create the prosperity which has quickened the life of the nation during the past few years? The men who work with hand and brain—farmers, manufacturers, builders, etc—chief of all being the farmers.

We hear of great fortunes "made" overnight in Wall street and the exchanges. Such fortunes are already made by hard work. It is only by a juggle that they are transferred from one set of jugglers to another. Such trasactions do not add one dollar to the wealth of the nation.

Again, the "values" of great railroads and other corporations are increased by the issue of securities for which no value has been actually invested. It is the injection of wind and water. Such "values" appear in the statistics of national value, but they have no right place there. From the standpoint of real workers and producers, such values are not national assets, but liabilities and represent a power to draw from the farmers, manufacturers, etc., values which those workers make, and pour it into the coffers of idlers who produce nothing but paper certificates of value.

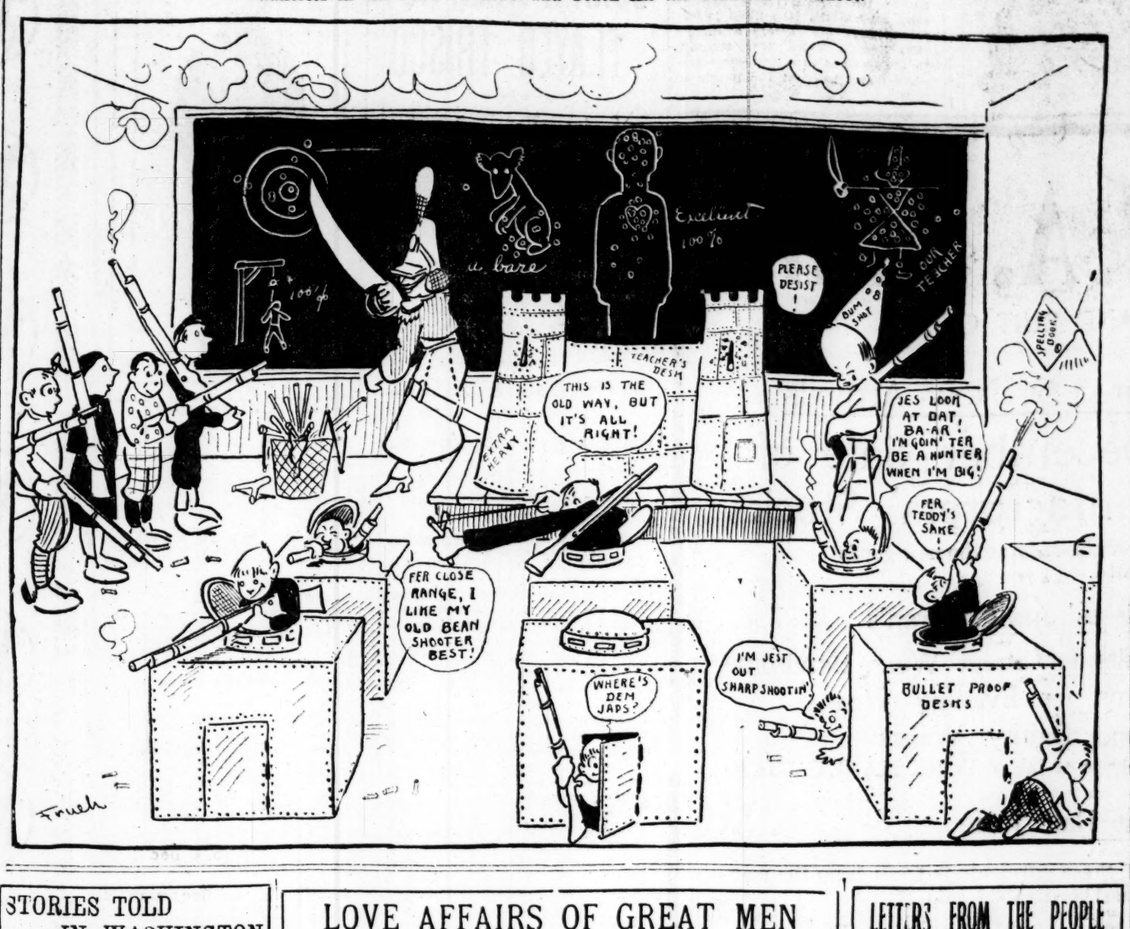
It is by means of such reports as this of Secretary Wilson that the people get a view of the real wealth of the country and can identify its producers. The farmer who plants and reaps the crops, the manufacturer, the great railroad builders, the men who manage and operate railways, telegraphs, slaughter houses—the organizers of work, not juggles—these are the men who make wealth, the captains of industry, the men whom the people delight to honor.

All that glitters in the display and boast of speculators is not the real gold of honest industry. Private fortunes come and go with the rise and fall of exchanges, but the national wealth comes only from the brain and brawn of workers. And upon the workers rest ultimately the decisions of the great issues of national life. High and frenzied financiers can play the game and draw to themselves the fascinated gaze of the whole world by their flashy pranks. But in the last analysis, in "the round up," they are sure to be eliminated like so many fever germs. Men who make wealth, not men who play with it, will own this country. They own it even now, despite the alarm of timid souls.

The President's reformed spelling does not seem to have shortened his message

THE TEDDYVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

A Post-Dispatch Cartoonist's Notion of What We Shall Come to When We Adopt the President's Suggestion to Put Shooting Galleries in the Public Schools and Teach All the Children to Shoot.



STORIES TOLD IN WASHINGTON

To a Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Representative Wharton of Illinois was telling Speaker Cannon how he came to be defeated for re-election:

"I was beaten by a man who never made more than $40 in his life—a telegraph operator," said Wharton, who was once a guide in the stockyards.

"Um," commented Uncle Joe, smiling. "He must have had the dots on you."

Speaker Cannon, who is nearly 71 years old, ran half a block for a street car today. He caught it, and, climbing aboard, was met by Senator Carter of Montana.

"That's pretty good for an old man," Senator Carter said.

"O, I'm good for a run any day, notwithstanding Mr. Gompers," the Speaker said.

"I see you were not in for prayers today," Gen. Grosvenor said to Representative John Sharp Williams.

"No, I was not," Mr. Williams replied. "I am afraid if I am always in while the chaplain is praying for the majority I may be accused of instigating him to pray for the public enemy."

Champ Clark of Missouri is good for an interview at any time. A score of correspondents rushed up to him. "What do you think of the message?"

And 20 expectant pencils were poised above 20 voluminous pads.

"I haven't read it."

Down went the pencils and pads.

"But I'll tell you what I think of it."

Up went the pads.

"It's a very long message."

"Poor San Francisco!" Representative John Sharp Williams said, after listening to the reading of the President's message, in which he let off some fireworks on the Japanese question. "First comes an earthquake, destroying many of the handsomest buildings of the city; the people are just recovering from this visitation when the great fire burns the magnificent structures spared by a merciful Providence from annihilation by the earthquake. Even this does not kill hope in the breasts of the sturdy Californians, and they are just recovering when along comes the President, declares war on San Francisco and threatens to back a battleship up to the Golden Gate and blow what is left of the city across the mountains. Only moving the city to Seattle could be worse."

Commenting on the President's simplified spelling in his message to Congress, Representative Slayden of Texas said: "Every letter that is in the conspiracy of silence shall be discharged without honor."

Several Californians were holding a meeting to protest against the President's strictures on that State in regard to the Japanese question.

"I am surprised at the President's duplicity," said one Californian.

"Duplicity?" said a passer-by. "Not duplicity, but diplomacy."

The clerk was monotonously reading off the personal requests of members, when in an unusually loud voice, as though calling attention to it, he read:

"Mr. Cockran of New York requests indefinite leave on account of important business."

Instantly the House burst into a laugh, as it is well known that Mr. Cockran intends taking a trip around the world with his bride. Mr. Cockran smiled, fidgeted around in his chair, blushed and retired to the cloakroom.

LOVE AFFAIRS OF GREAT MEN

Written for the Post-Dispatch

By Nixola Greeley-Smith.

GEORGE WASHINGTON AND MARTHA CUSTIS.



GEORGE WASHINGTON, first in war, peace and the hearts of his countrymen, was not first in the affections of Martha Custis. For Washington, like Napoleon, Jefferson and many other great men, married a widow.

Martha Curtis was the daughter of Col. John Dandridge, and at the time Washington met her, she had been for two years a widow. She was mistress of one of the largest estates in Virginia. Moreover she was young, pretty and intelligent.

Their romance was one of the rare cases of love at first sight. Washington, riding with dispatches, stopped at a friend's house to dine. The widow of Daniel Parke Custis was there. Fate brought the young soldier to the door and Mrs. Custis did the rest. The afternoon wore on, and Washington's horse was brought to the door. Together he and the widow Custis walked up and down in front of the old Virginia mansion, saying good-by over and over. An hour passed and Washington called a groom and had his horse returned to the stable. The next morning bright and early he rode over to Mrs. Curtis' own home, to which she had returned, and made her a formal offer of marriage, which she accepted.

Their engagement covered a period of several months, but there is only one letter in existence known to have been written by Washington to his fiancee.

It furnished an interesting contrast to the burning missives sent by the young Napoleon to Josephine de Beauharnais. It was dated Fort Cumberland, July 20, 1758, and said: "We have begun our march to the Ohio. A courier is starting for Williamsburg, and I embrace the opportunity to send a few words to one whose life is now inseparable from mine. Since that happy hour when we made our pledges to each other my thoughts have been continually going to you as to another self. That all-powerful Providence may keep us both in safety is the prayer of your faithful and ever affectionate friend. G. WASHINGTON."

A Rare Case of Love at First Sight.

This is not ardor. Napoleon sent a kiss to Josephine's poodle. Washington did not even send one to the widow her self. But the letter breathes the sincere, serene affection which he preserved for her always, and which led her to say at their final parting: "All is over now. I shall soon follow him."

Washington has been accused of mercinary motives in marrying the wealthy widow of Virginia.

"Where would you be if it hadn't been for the Revolution?" President Washington once said reproachfully to a subordinate.

"And where would you be if it hadn't been for the Widow Custis?" was the irreverent answer.

Whatever the motives of his marriage—and it is only fair to assume that he may have belonged to the order of men who find it just as easy to love a poor woman as a rich one—Washington was a model husband and a devoted stepfather to the two surviving children of Mrs. Curtis' first marriage, whom he adopted. He had no children of his own.

Not Model Lover, Model Husband, but

He was not a model lover, being too reasonable, too temperate and too secure to merit that romantic distinction. Before meeting Mrs. Custis he had fallen in love with Miss Sarah Carey, who rejected him. A pretty story is told of the manner in which the young woman first learned of Washington's devotion. Returning into Williamsburg when the town was under military rule, accompanied only by her maid, she was challenged by the sentry, who demanded the password of the day. Blushing, nonplussed and very angry, she stamped her foot and exclaimed, "But I am Miss Sallie Carey!"

"Pass!" said the sentry, presenting arms and making pretty Miss Carey aware for the first time that Washington, the officer in charge, had given her name to his sentries as the countersign.

At an earlier age, indeed when he was only fourteen, Washington fell in love with a Mary Bland of Westmoreland, whom he called his "Lowland Beauty."

But his first serious love affair was that which made him the happy husband of the wealthiest widow in Virginia.

AN OBNOXIOUS TENDERFOOT

Stewart Edward White in Outing.

WE all know the type. He professes an inordinate scorn for comfort of all sorts. If you are out with him you soon discover that he has a vast pride in being able to sleep on cobblestones—and does so at the edge of yellow pines, with their long needles. He eats badly cooked food. He stands—or perhaps I should say poses—indifferent to a downpour when every one else has sought shelter. In a cold climate he brings a single thin blanket. His slogan seems to be: "This is good enough for me!" with the unspoken conclusion, "if it isn't good enough for you fellows, you're pretty soft."

The queer part of it is he usually manages to bully sensible men into his point of view. They accept his bleak camps and voluntary hardships, because they are ashamed to be less tough than he is. And in town they are abashed before him when, with a superior, good-natured and tolerant laugh, he tells the company with glee of how you brought with you a little pillow-case to stuff with moss. "Bootleg is good enough for me!" he cries, and every one marvels at his woodsmanship.

As a plain matter of fact this man is the worse of two types of tenderfoot. The greenhorn does not know better; but this man should. He has mistaken utterly the problem of the wilderness. The wild life is not to test how much the human frame can endure—although that often enough happens—but to test how well the human wits, backed by an enduring body, can answer the question of comfort. Comfort means minimum equipment; comfort means bodily ease. The task is to balance, to reconcile these apparently opposing ideas.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

An Elevated Suggestion.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

My suggestion upon the subject of the elevated railway is to have the railway company buy all the property along the proposed route that the property owners would be disposed to sell at a reasonable rate. Then have the company sell this property to those who would purchase it with the understanding that it was to be an elevated road route, the company slightly lowering the price of property at a reasonable per cent. Then both parties would be pleased. FRANK PERANO.

Railroad Ownership.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The Government ownership of railroads, which has been proposed by Mr. Bryan at his arrival from the world's touring, at New York, has been discussed in the daily papers of the entire country. Republican and Democratic papers, alike, spared no space in their columns in their effort to abuse and brand the ownership idea as Socialistic, utterly impracticable, and that the Government will not profitably be able to run the railroads. But, it has never been shown clearly with convincing argument by any of the papers which I have read daily, why the American people should repudiate Government of ownership. I am not a Socialist, nor am I a Democrat. But I have ceased to be a believer, unless I am thoroughly convinced to the contrary.

Is it possible that a reduction of wages would take place if the Government would really own the roads? Would the hours of labor be lengthened? Would freight moving be charged higher and would passengers have to pay dearer? And is it really a fact that the American people, as a unit, oppose Government ownership? Senator Benjamin R. Tillman of South Carolina, in a speech some time ago, said that politicians were to be Government employes should the Government own the roads. But I very much doubt this statement. There is no danger about that. Tillman knows that much, that no politician will find the running of an engine a lucrative position, or easy enough to work from 10 to 12 hours per day. And, inasmuch as the fear that the politicians would control the railroads then, this ought not to worry the American people. As it is an invariable fact and an open secret that the roads are already controlled by the politicians, who, at the same time represent the roads in both houses of Congress. Respectfully yours,

PHILLIP SILVERSTEIN,
1424 Franklin avenue.

Supporting a Husband.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

It is true, no doubt, as J. C. Scott says, that a man marries a girl to secure a "housekeeper" and that girl also expects to secure a man able to support her, but how very, very often is she sadly disappointed, and finds instead that she is expected to support him, and then I will tell you she can congratulate herself that she knows something besides housekeeping. I think you will find a far greater number of divorces from non-support than you will from "non-housekeeping." I am sure Mr. Leonard will secure everlasting praises from the majority of people if he secures the passage of his bill and it will be a blessing to the community and save a number of mothers from going out to work to support a son and daughter-in-law or vice versa, as I have known a number to do. STENO.
St. Louis.

Old St. Louis History.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In looking over an old City Directory published in 1847, which I am told is the second ever published in St. Louis, now in the possession of Major Murphy, 1028 Chestnut street, I find a great deal of very interesting information, and among others I find one that is more interesting than any of the rest. At that time there lived at 198 North Sixth street Titus Evertson, a laborer. I have always made it a point when visiting different cities to look over directories to see if I could find anyone of the same name as my own, and have not succeeded but in two instances, and in both cases I found by referring to my family record that they were relations.

I have my family tree from 1652, and I believe that there is not a being of that name on earth but what is a relative of mine. There are Everson and Eversens, but when their names are spelled EVERTSON there is no doubt but what they are relatives of mine.

I would like to ask your many old-time readers whether any of them remember this Titus Evertson or his family or not and can give me some information in regard to them.
1021 CHESTNUT STREET.

THE AMERICAN DRAMA.

IF IT is true that in the verdict of foreign critics can be read the judgment of posterity, the outlook for the American theater is rather discouraging. Current Literature reprints in its December issue extracts from the recently published American impressions of Dr. Ludwig Fulda. The celebrated German dramatist tells us that, culturally at least, we are still colonial. A new Columbus, he says, must yet discover this continent for art. He continues:

"The American drama still stands on a pretty low level. Gorgeous scenery and always elaborate, often excellent, acting furnish a splendid frame for an inferior picture. Although America has produced so far no real dramatist, productions of domstic playwrights prevail. The chief function of the latter consists in writing light burlesques and conveyation comedies, and in supplying popular favorites with grateful roles in melodramas and spectacular shows. The prudery of the American public excludes the whole field of erotic problems, and psychology, too, is wholly barred from the boards. What adultery is in French comedy, namely, the quintessence of the drama, the revolver becomes in the hands of the American playwright. Our nervous ladies who shiver at the thought of a shot being fired on the stage would faint at the very sight of the gigantic posters which preferably depict climacteric moments of the theatrical murder scenes. Now and then Shapspeare is played, but he is nowhere cultivated systematically. The other great masters of the world's literature are totally unknown to the American stage, and its blissful ignorance of the work of modern European countries is almost equally marked."

Dr. Fulda seems to have little hope that any reforms will be initiated by the Theatrical Trust that forced Sarah Bernhardt to play in a tent for want of a playhouse, and concludes with the hope that the projected National Theater in New York may, at last, give us a drama in which "the blood of American life will pulsate, without, however, dripping from the ceiling."

ANSWERS TO POST-DISPATCH READERS

Look in Sunday edition for answers requiring more than a few lines. Write but one question. Sign but one initial. Legal questions must be simple. No bets decided. Business addresses not given. Address "Answers," Post-Dispatch; postal cards, if convenient.

W.—See Answers Dec. 2.
J. W.—Dec. 4, 1898, Sunday.
A. M.—See Answers Nov. 28.
TEE.—See Answers Nov. 28.
Z.—Hotel Reporter, St. Louis.
SCOTT.—Ask in music stores.
N. R.—No Penrose night school.
G.—Duty on photos, 25 per cent.
SUS.—Burton, Adams County, Ill.
JOHN WHITE.—Consult a lawyer.
TRUE LOVE.—See Answers Dec. 2.
A. X B.—Ask the pastor of any church.
MRS. G. S.—Weekly Eye, Needles, Cal.
BILLY.—Temperature for house, 60 to 70.
D. L.—"Varnish remover" at paint store.
CITIZEN.—Janitor, Congress, $720 to $1000.
A. G.—Toy balloons are inflated with gas.
S.—Messrs. Tyler & Co. is not improper.
SUCCESSOR.—Any book store will tell you.
M. H.—Frank Daniels, last season, Olympic.
GENTILE.—Write Dr. Harrison, Temple Israel.
DORA.—Ethel Levey (Mrs. Cohan) is a Jewess.
JOHN SMITH.—Spencer salary not known here.
ELLEN.—Spanish national air, "Hymne de Riego."
A. H.—F Troop, Second Cavalry, is at Fort Riley, Kan.
HAYSEED.—Try writing Malinckrodt Chemical Co., St. Louis.
G.—The business is legally under the name of owner or owners.
T.—The judges say all the conditions of the contest were met.
O'G.—St. Louis to Havana, by way of Jacksonville and Tampa, 70 hours.
M. S. W.—Asthma patient is likely to be benefited in any part of Arizona.
HURRY.—Try Public Library reference room for books on Spanish costumes.
MARGARET.—Why not just write: "Dear ——: Come and see our Christmas tree."
KIEFER.—Average daily receipts at St. Louis Postoffice (working days) about $10,000.
M.—For rheumatic sufferer, "anything that swims in the sea or grows above ground."
B.—An open account on which nothing has been paid in five years is dead by limitation in Missouri.
RAYMONDS.—The safeguard ledger is patented; there is no hindrance to your teaching the system.
M. M. S.—Write Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D. C., for information in regard to patents.
MRS. L. M.—Divorce obtained by husband going to another State, without knowledge of wife, would not stand.
READER.—The two great fires in which large dry goods houses suffered were on Nov. 29, 1891, and Feb. 4, 1900.
W. W.—Write Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, Manitoba, for information in regard to Canadian lands.
STANDARD.—Noon in New York is 5 p. m. in London, 11 a. m. in St. Louis and 9 a. m. in San Francisco.
ALCOVE.—If B was born Aug. 14, 1857, the insurance companies would consider him 49 years old up to Feb. 14, 1907.
J. R.—A box of handkerchiefs would be the better present, if the young woman is not especially devoted to candy.
ELSIE OTENSMEYER.—Your answer was published Nov. 5. Please don't ask for repetitions. They annoy regular readers.
INEXPERIENCE.—Send wedding announcements to all whom you consider friends. Omitting all would be better than slighting some.
O.—Applicants for marriage license are asked if they are of legal age; if they are single; if they are related. No other questions.
A. L. P.—A hog or a hedgehog will eat a snake. Hogs have been known to kill and eat sheep. Some sows devour their own young.
EMMA.—Any man who hugs a young woman against her will may be fined. If he is married his wife may apply for a divorce.
RUTH.—X-ray removes superfluous hair permanently, but operator must be skilled; otherwise inflammation of the skin would follow.
JOSIE.—Bride's parents invite bridegroom faher of bride takes bride in; bride's mother with bridegroom. Bridegroom waits for bride at altar.
LONELY.—By your manner you may show that you are not dependent upon the gentleman for escort. Accept his offer in a simple, unaffected way.
O. J.—There is much difference between drafting in architecture and drafting in civil engineering. Drafting for structural engineering is similar to that for architecture.
STELLA.—Massage scalp for falling hair. Move the scalp over the skull; that is to say, the fingers are stationary and the scalp is made to move. Do this all over the head.
A. W.—When a man's whereabouts is unknown for seven years he is legally dead. Still, the wife of a man so disappearing does well to obtain a divorce before marrying again.
MARY.—Liquor seller selling to habitual drunkard, after having been notified by wife, father, mother, brother, sister, child or guardian of such person, forfeits, for every offense, $50 to $500, and license.
DOROTHY.—Anise seed cakes: Stir 3 eggs and 1 pound sugar together (stirring only one way) half hour; then add about 1 pound flour, half teaspoon baking powder, 1 tablespoon anise seed. Roll out thin, cut with round cutter; bake quickly. (Some reader may have pepper cakes recipe.)
SALLY.—Colossus of Rhodes was a reality, but there is no authority for the statement that it bestrode the harbor mouth. Other six wonders: Diana's Temple at Ephesus, the mausoleum at Halicarnassus, the pyramids, the Pharos at Alexandria, the hanging gardens at Babylon and the Olympian Zeus.
A.—Birthdays Sept. 23 to Oct. 22, sign of Libra. Libra person is energetic, ambitious, generous, inspired; woman careless in money matters; not intentionally dishonest, but borrows; intuitive and mediumistic; may be poet, writer or musician; liable to stomach troubles and nervous prostration.
McCANN.—For dandruff: Massage vigorously every day, or apply 10 grains or less of corrosive sublimate mixed with 5 ounces of distilled witch hazel. Dr. David Walsh of London recommends for falling hair: Acid, salicylic, 3 drams; acid, carbolic, 1 dram; Ol. ricini, 3 drams; spiritus vini rectif. q. s. ad., 6 ounces. Apply locally once or twice daily. Intelligent massage has also been recommended.

WIFE'S MIXED LETTERS CAUSE DIVORCE SUIT

Husband Says Missive Intended for Boarder Was Directed to Him.

WRITTEN FROM HUNGARY

She Had Gone Back to Childhood Home to Visit Her People for a Time.

WARNED OF THE MISTAKE

She Is Alleged to Have Written Saying She Was Willing for Divorce.

Mrs. Marie Ughi Fischl, visiting her home in Hungary, wrote two letters, one to her husband, Stephan Fischl of 4033 North Broadway, St. Louis, and another to Barna Kovacs, a boarder at the house. In the letter to Kovacs she said she was in low spirits because she could not feel his kisses, and was so far away from him.

Mrs. Fischl mixed the letters, inclosing the one intended for Kovacs in an envelope addressed to her husband, and it will be Exhibit A in his suit for divorce. The petition in the suit, setting forth the statements narrated above, has just been filed by C. F. Schneider, attorney for Fischl.

Fischl wedded Marie Ughi, a pink-cheeked Hungarian peasant girl, in Devecser, Austrian Hungary, Feb. 20, 1898. She was then 18 years old, and he was 30. Soon after the marriage the couple came to St. Louis.

Barna Kovacs, a handsome young iron molder of the same race as the Fischis, made his home with them. Sometimes when Fischl did not feel well the boarder would accompany Mrs. Fischl in quest of an evening's amusement, but the husband thought nothing of that.

In June, 1905, Mrs. Fischl declared to her husband that she was languishing with homesickness, and he indulgently promised her she might go home for a visit, it being his understanding that she was to return to him in a few months.

Letters Were Mixed.

Mrs. Fischl set out a short time later, and was soon with her parents in Devecser. After she got there, it is charged, she wrote a letter in Hungarian to Kovas. Translated, the letter reads:

DEVECSER, Austria-Hungary, July 13, 1905.

Dear Barna—I wish from the good God that this my few words shall find you in the best health. I myself do not feel the best. What I have promised you, that will I write you—I would not forget it. I am letting you know that in the ocean voyage I did not have any trouble, because the ocean was still, and the boat went ahead very nicely. We started on the sea Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, and next week at 5 o'clock p. m. we landed. Friday morning I was in my sweet old home. I went through the very sweetest minutes. My parents and my sisters and my brothers are very glad to see me again, and we wept together from the grief of happiness.

I wish I could divide all this happiness with you. I do not know what to do. I am sobbing and thinking of you all the time. Sometimes I feel I never will find my lost peace in life, because I feel that I am so far away from the man that I could look on an hour at a time. I feel very sorry and in very low spirits if I cannot feel your kiss. I think you are kissing or thinking already of someone else. Of course, you are thinking of me very much, as I hope you do.

Now I will not write any more. I have written you too much already, and you should know a whole lot more from my words. I hope you will not laugh at my letter. I am, with best regards, yours,

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P. S.—I am still in the possession of the little bouquet you gave me and you will find a little leaf of it inclosed.

This is the letter Fischl will swear he got in an envelope addressed to him. Kovacs was at home when the mail from Hungary arrived, and Fischl thinks he got the letter intended for the husband. Kovacs disappeared.

Wife Willing for Divorce.

Fischl thinks Kovacs wrote to Mrs. Fischl telling her of her error and he says that she, in reply, wrote a letter which fell into his hands. This letter is translated as follows:

Dear Barna, Best Regarded Barna—I have received the letter from you in which you let me know the dangerous news. I do not know how the mistake could have happened. I beg your pardon for all the trouble I have made by the unlucky mistake. I myself am having lots of trouble, because the same day I received your letter with the dangerous news, Forma the Blacksmith received a letter from Fischl in which was inclosed a copy of the letter I wrote to you; and he handed it to my father.

Now you can think how I felt. But anyhow I am very much obliged to you for writing the news. I know nothing yet, except that I have to go to court for this thing. Fischl wrote to me that on account of my scandalous behavior he would sue for divorce. I wrote him that if he will divide the savings we had together I would very gladly agree to the divorce.

Write if you have got a licking. Be good and write to me of everything, and watch Fischl. In case he comes here after me, let me know at once, so I can get away.

Be careful and do not show my letter to anybody. Keep it away from the Vedricseks.

My parents have not said a word to me. But I am ashamed of myself from shame for you, that I could make such a mistake. Otherwise I don't care. I will get a divorce more quickly now.

Mrs. Fischl also wrote a letter to her brother, Alexander Ughi, which Fischl says was turned over to him, and which he will introduce in evidence, in which the mistake is set forth with a plea for enough money to get back to New York. In this letter solicitous inquiry is made about Barna, and what he thought of the writer, and what his plans were.

Mrs. Fischl didn't return to St. Louis. Fischl says in his petition that he has reason to believe she is in New York.

Another grievance that Fischl sets forth against his wife is that she went to fortune tellers to inquire how soon he would die, and he will introduce a woman to testify to this.

EDNA M'CLURE MARRIED.

Actress Friend of Evelyn Thaw Rich Miner's Bride.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Edna McClure, actress, friend of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, acquaintance of the late Stanford White, and one of the most beautiful young women on the American stage, was married at 5:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon to Jack Richardson, a rich miner of Goldfield, Nev.

The wedding took place less than 18 hours after the ceremony, which made Mabel Tallaferro the wife of Frederick Thompson, and was as sudden and unexpected. Every effort was made to keep the marriage secret, and when the union became known today it occasioned great surprise, as along Broadway it had been persistently reported that Miss McClure was engaged to Mr. Thompson.

WIFE AND HUSBAND SEPARATED BY MIXING OF HER LETTERS



MR AND MRS STEPHAN FISCHL

CHANCE IS 83 1-2 IN 100 THAT WIFE SLAYER WILL ESCAPE DEATH

Criminal Court tatistics Indicate That Policeman McNamara Has 33 Chances of Acquittal, 33 of Second Degree Conviction and 17½ of Fourth Degree Manslaughter.

TAKING the law of averages shown in the records of the Circuit Attorney's office as a basis of figuring, Policeman Michael McNamara, indicted by the October grand jury for murder in the first degree for his wife and James J. Brophy, has 83½ chances in his favor against 16½ that killing his wife and James J. Brophy, has 83½ chances in his favor against

The chance that he will be acquitted is 33 in 100, with an equal chance that he will be convicted of murder in the second degree. It is 17½ in 100 that he will be convicted on a charge of manslaughter in the fourth degree.

These figures are based on the number of acquittals and convictions in the Criminal Court on indictments returned by the grand jury from Jan. 1 of this year to Dec. 1, and do not take into consideration the merits of the case nor the defense which will be made—that of the "unwritten law."

Neither are they concerned with the fact that while McNamara is charged by the grand jury with murder in the first degree, Judge Bishop decided that he was only guilty of manslaughter in the fourth degree, and accepted bond covering the last charge.

Out of 21 indictments charging first degree murder during the last eleven months, only one conviction was obtained whereby the defendant was sentenced to hang. That was the case of John King, a negro, who shot and killed his sweetheart last year.

Elmer Stelzried, who shot and killed his wife as she lay in bed in their room, was allowed to plead guilty to murder in the second degree and was given a life sentence.

Betty Arnold, charged with the murder of Frank Phelps, was acquitted last month after a trial which brought out the fact that she was under the influence of opium and other drugs at the time of the killing.

Had the tragedy in which McNamara figured occurred in New York, according to the records of the Criminal courts there, his chance to escape the death penalty would be six in one hundred. From Jan. 1 to Nov. 23, 55 persons were indicted for murder in the first degree. Of these, seven, including Harry Kendall Thaw, are still awaiting trial. Three persons were found guilty and sentenced to die. Their cases were appealed. The remainder of the cases were reduced to lower degrees of murder and manslaughter.

Of 112 indictments for murder in Chicago, 94 defendants were placed on trial and in four instances the death penalty was imposed. There are no degrees of murder in Illinois—it is murder or manslaughter. Twenty were found not guilty, six were adjudged insane and four cases were stricken off for lack of prosecution. The difference between the trials and the indicements represent fugitives from justice.

Had McNamara killed his wife and Brophy last year—still figuring by the law of average the chance that he would pay the death penalty would have been nil. There was no death sentence passed on any one of the 15 persons charged in that year with murder in the first degree. His chances of acquittal would have been seven in one hundred.

Fought About Money Claims.

In a fight about a debt, Wednesday afternoon, Louis Lindley, a blacksmith, living at 5619 Pennsylvania avenue, and August Oppell, a saloonkeeper, of 200 Rutger street, severely cut each other with knives. Oppell said that Lindley owed him $5.65 for drinks. Lindley denied this and the fight followed. Both men were arrested and taken to F. M. Spalding of 5827 Scuth Broadway, where their injuries were dressed. They were then locked up at the Soulard Street Station.

Wyndham to Leave Stage.

NEW YORK, Dec. —A London dispatch published here reports that Charles Wyndham, speaking at the annual dinner of the Actors' Benevolent Fund, announced his early retirement from the stage. "It is in the very nature of things," he said, "that a short time hence will be my withdrawal from the career to which I have devoted so many happy years."

SOTHERN-MARLOWE IN FAIRY PLAY

Hauptmann's "The Sunken Bell" Presented Before Big Garrick Audience.

Being a poet by nature and having independence and Miss Julia Marlowe to make great his opportunity, Mr. E. H. Sothern can renew his appeal to us with "The Sunken Bell," which he and Miss Harned played for a brief while in earlier years. Mr. Sothern is quite sure that this poetic allegory by Gerhart Hauptmann has charm and virtue to which we cannot be insensible if we can advantageously see it.

We did see in in that way at the Garrick Theater Wednesday night, and we did feel its charm and see its beauty, each in proportion to his taste. If one has no taste for allegory—and this is a terribly hard-headed country—it is denied him to enter. He can only stand without and behold the beautiful stage picture of a fir-clad glade in the mountains, with the wonderful waterfall true as life; observe the personal graces and loveliness of Miss Marlowe and marvel at the perfectron of her stage technique; note that Mr. Sothern is always finished and more intelligent than conventional, and that the poem, and the story are beautiful, though really "not about anything" in the blunt and colloquial American fashion of sizing these things up.

The play is not new with us, and we are therefore more concerned with the manner in which it was produced than with the story itself. The Germans have a Hartz Mountain imagination which we have not, and the story doesn't matter much, any way. Beauty is as common to the allegories as getting down to hard pan is rare with them. But there is this to be said: Literature is not complete without "Pilgrim's Progress," "The Arabian Nights Entertainments," "The Sunken Bell," etc., and the drama is too closely allied to literature to be complete without them, either. Mr. Sothern likes this sort of thing, and we like Mr. Sothern. If he wants to do this once in a while, we are all delighted. To see Miss Marlowe and Miss Sothern is treat enough without being anxious as to their choice of a play.

The attendance was a crush. What a pity Mr. Sothern and Miss Marlowe cannot be with us for two weeks, at least, that they might give us some of the things Miss Marlowe likes, some of the things Mr. Sothern likes, some of the things we like, and, inevitably, some of the things we all like! They are such playeds. They have such excellent people supporting them. They have such aspirations and such a following. Let us not forget, while taking our hats off to Miss Marlowe, to lift them also to Mr. Sothern—the man who is artist enough to brave comparison with Miss Marlowe every night upon the stage.

Thief Stole Medicine Case.

Dr. William C. Butman of Glasgow, Ken., placed his valise and medicine case on the floor of the Union Station Wednesday evening until he could purchase a ticket. When he stooped to pick them up they were gone. The police are looking for the thief.

MRS. R. PULITZER KILLS BIG MOOSE

New York Woman More Successful Than Husband in New Brunswick.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FREDERICKTOWN, N. B., Dec. 6.—After three weeks spent hunting big game in the wilds of New Brunswick, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pulitzer of New York have arrived in Fredericktown. Mrs. Pulitzer demonstrated her skill as a hunter by stalking and shooting one of the largest moose ever killed by a woman in New Brunswick. The antlers were remarkably well formed and had a spread of 55 inches, with 29 points.

Mrs. Pulitzer had for a guide the veteran Henry Braithwait, and she hunted on the headwaters of the Little Southwest Miramichi. It was her first hunt for game larger than deer, and she was very proud of her achievement.

Mr. Pulitzer, while not so fortunate as his wife, shot a moose with antlers spreading 45 inches. The couple were rather unfortunate in regard to the weather conditions, a heavy snowstorm having occurred while they were performing the 50-mile journey to camp. Upward of a foot of snow fell and they were obliged to do their hunting on snowshoes.

OIL MAGNATES SERVED.

Formal notice of the Government's suit filed in St. Louis against the Standard Oil Co. has been served in New York on John D. Rockefeller, Henry H. Rogers, William Rockefeller, John D. Archbold, Henry M. Flagler, Oliver H. Payne and Charles M. Pratt. Information of the service was received Wednesday in returns made to the United States Circuit Court here. Eleven corporations, including the Standard Oil Co., were served by United States Marshal William Henkle in the office at 26 Broadway.

The following corporations were served with subpenas through their directors or officers: Crescent Pipe Line Co., National Transit Co., New York Transit Co., Northern Pipe Line Co., Salamanca Gas Co., Southern Pipe Line Co., Acme Oil Co., American Lubricating Oil Co., Anglo-American Oil Co., Bush & Denslow Manufacturing Co., Chesebrough Manufacturing Co., Consolidated, and Swan & Finch Co. Twelve corporations have been served outside of New York.

SHOT AT POLICEMAN.

Donaho Says Negro Fired Pistol and Then Ran.

A shot was fired at Patrolman John Donaho of the Carondelet Station as he was passing Broadway and Loughborough avenue at 10:30 Wednesday night. Donaho says that he recognized a negro youth of Minnesota avenue after the shot was fired and followed him to the rives, where he escaped.

Donaho's attention was atttracted to a house at 6908 South Broadway where Jefferson Johnson, a negro, was having an argument with his niece Gabriel Neil. The patrolman says that Johnson ordered Minor Arnold, a negro youth who was visiting the Neil girl, to leave the house. The patrolman followed him to Loughborough avenue and Broadway, when he said he was fired at by another negro who was waiting for Arnold.

Church Bazar Begins.

Beginning Thursday noon, a three days' bazar will be held by the ladies of the Lafayette Park Methodist Church, in order to meet a church debt. The bazar will be open every day from noon till 10:30 p. m. A supper will be served from 5 to 8 p. m. Friday.

Plan Home for Incurables.

A whist and euchre party will be given Thursday at 2 p. m. at the Columbian Club, Vandeventer avenue and Lindell boulevard, by the Jewish women of St. Louis in an effort to begin a building fund for a permanent home for incurables. The promoters of this movement believe that it deserves support, as there is no institution or hospital in St Louis that gives permanent shelter to incurables.

Editor Dies in Library.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 6.—Harry St. John, 36 years old, a newspaper man, who came here from Chicago several weeks ago, died of apoplexy in the Public Library here. He was editor of the Vicksburg American when it was founded and afterward was employed on papers at Jackson, Miss. He served with the Second Mississippi volunteers during the Spanish-American War.

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Downtown $12.00	Parlor Tables—most massive	For $6.50
Downtown $20.00	Comb. Bookcases—quar. oak or mahog.	For $12.50
Downtown $22.00	Buffets—leaded glass doors	For $16.75
Downtown $25.00	Sideboards—elaborately carved	For $17.50
Downtown $30.00	Sideboards—solid golden oak	For $24.00
Downtown $12.00	Extension Dining Tables—solid oak	For $7.50
Downtown $15.00	Ped. Ext. Dining Tables	For $9.75
Downtown $25.00	Ped. Ext. Dining Tables	For $16.00

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ATTELL AND WALSH READY FOR FIGHT

Local Sports Pulling for Jimmy, but Abe Looks the Best.

DUCK HUNTING POOR

St. Louis Men Had Bad Luck Gunning Across River This Season.



A GOOD deal of attention is being paid by St. Louis fight followers to the Abe Attell-Jimmy Walsh scrap Friday night out in Los Angeles. Attell was never very popular here in St. Louis and the local sports would be only too well pleased to have Walsh win the featherweight title, but having in mind the way Attell handled him in their bout in Chelsea last February they cannot see how he is going to do so.

Walsh, however, believes he has a chance to win this time, but he is probably the only one who holds that opinion. If he stays the limit he will surprise many.

In his bout at the Lincoln Club Attell proved that he is too speedy and too clever for Walsh. They box at the 122 pound weight, 122 pounds, and under the same condition they did in Chelsea.

Even if Walsh loses he will get a bigger slice of money than he would by winning from most any other boxer in that class.

Stock for Fighters.

Tonopah is determined to have the Herman-Gans fight go down in pugilistic history as the greatest battle ever known, and to further its plans has adopted a novel scheme. Not content with the fact that the battle is for the championship and that the $20,000 offered the fighters will stir them on to battle like they have never battled before, the Casino Athletic Club of Tonopah has set aside 1000 shares of stock, which will be awarded the victor.

Duck Hunting Poor.

From the marshes along the Illinois River and from other resorts throughout that State disgruntled nimrods are now trooping back into St. Louis with little to show for a strenuous two weeks beyond mud-coated and bespattered raiment. The wild duck season practically ended last week and the hunters will cast a unanimous vote that the sport was the poorest in years.

The flight this year only occupied about two weeks' time and before the hunters were really ready for business the ducks had gone. An absence of the usual nippy fall weather and the warm rains of November kept the ducks in the North much later than usual and when a start was made for their feeding grounds in the South there was but little delaying along the favorite ponds of the hunter.

Gardner After Mellody.

Jimmy Gardner, the Lowell welterweight, has issued a challenge to fight Honey Mellody for the welterweight championship. Gardner, who is in Denver training for his coming fight with Rube Smith, says if the new champion will give him a chance he will wager $5000 that he will knock him out in less than fifteen rounds. He is also willing to allow the winner to take all.

Jimmy is reported to be back in his old-time form. He has been training faithfully and has stated that he intends to continue to work until he has won the coveted title. He realizes that his days as a fighter are shortening and says that when he quits the ring he wants to do so as the welterweight king.

The Lowell boy once possessed this title, but lost it to Mike (Twin) Sullivan in San Francisco. In recent battles he has shown wonderful improvement, and his friends declare that with careful handling and judicious training he will once more land on top.

He is one of the cleverest fighters in the ring today, possesses great hitting ability, is a great ring general, knowing every trick of the game. Many of his friends consider him the peer of any fighter in his class, and when Mellody defeated Walcott on Thanksgiving Day they expressed a desire to see the winner of this fight meet him.

As Mellody was once knocked out by Joe Thomas it is quite likely that the champion, in an endeavor to wipe out this defeat, will meet Thomas before he does Gardner. Thomas has great difficulty, though, in making 142 pounds.

JOCKEY W. MILLER VISITS ST. LOUIS

Jockey Walter Miller, with a record that has not been equaled in years, and is hardly likely to be equaled for years to come, passed through this city Wednesday afternoon en route to Oakland from Washington, where he will ride for President Williams of the New California Jockey Club, and will also ride for other trainers when no mount is provided for him by his employer. James Fitzsimmons, who is the dapper jockey's manager, accompanied him, and will make his engagements to ride.

Walter Miller is one of the big articles that came wrapped up in a small package, and this clever knight of the saddle is a midget in stature, being slightly over four feet tall and weighing 95 pounds. He has ridden 1295 horses since the first of the year, winning on 552 of them, finishing second 285 times, third 179 times, and has only been outside the money 478 times.

He has made this record in competition with some of the best jockeys in the country, and was frequently handicapped in winning by poor mounts. Miller is a modest little chap and lets Fitzsimmons do all of his talking for him. He blushed as becomingly as a girl when his wonderful record was referred to, and, in answer to the query, "How have you made such a wonderful record?" he replied, "I have studied assiduously and made my profession a matter of conscience."

Gleason and Carter Draw.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—"Kid" Gleason of Massachusetts and Eddie Carter of this city were the attraction in the wind-up last night at the New Wayne Athletic Club in Germantown. The boys put up six very fast and clever rounds, with honors even at the finish.

CORBETT'S ONE CHANCE NOW TOMMY MURPHY

With McGovern Hopelessly Out of the Running, Little Denver Fighter Has Hard Game Ahead.

NOT YET PROVEN RETURN TO FORM

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—With Terry McGovern out of the ring for all time, there is nothing in sight now for Young Corbett but a match with Tommy Murphy of Harlem. And when Tommy finishes up with Matty Baldwin next week there'll be nothing in sight for him but a fight with Young Corbett.

All the fight fans around New York and Philadelphia want to see Murphy and Corbett meet, and meet they will, eventually, in spite of managerial backing and filling.

Last night Harry Pollok, manager for Corbett, and Johnny Oliver, for Murphy, met and discussed and argued without coming to an agreement. Harry Edwards of the National Athletic Club of Philadelphia, offered 70 per cent of the gate receipts for the match. Oliver was willing. Pollock had two demands. The first was that the 70 per cent should be split—40 per cent to Young Corbett, 30 to Murphy.

Baldwin Fight Goes.

The second was that Oliver should call off the Murphy-Baldwin scrap. Oliver refused the latter demand, on the ground that it would be unfair to Baldwin and the club at Chelsea to call that fight off, claiming that Murphy is a better drawing card than Corbett in Philadelphia. On that account he could not see why he should give Young Corbett the best of it financially.

Murphy is a better card in Quakertown. He has fought so many good fights there that he is regarded as a "native son," and Philadelphians think he can beat Joe Gans.

As for Young Corbett, while he made a splendid fight against McGovern in the National Club a month ago, he has not yet proved his return to championship form.

He will have to finish some good lightweight in the good old Young Corbett style before he will be taken seriously by the hardened Philadelphia sports.

Tommy Murphy has become a very dangerous lightweight. He can make about 127 pounds easily, and so would be giving Corbett about 10 the best of it.

Won His First Fight.

Tommy showed his ability in his first scrap. He lived in Greenpoint. One night he came over to the Thirty-fourth street ferry, ran all the way up to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, to the New Polo Athletic Club. There he met Johnny Oliver and asked to be put on.

"Can you box?" asked Oliver.

"I don't know, but I can fight," said Tommy.

They gave him a bout, just for fun, against one of the fairly good boys in the club. Murphy put him out in a punch. Next week he showed up and put out two. Oliver took hold of him and began to make him a champion. Frank Erne came down to New York. Frank has been training and coaching Tommy Murphy for two years.

Murphy was matched against McGovern. For one minute he punched Terry all over the ring. Then Terry landed one of the old-time wallops.

Curtain for Murphy!

In spite of that, he was really a good little fighter. Undiscovered, he began winning again. He knocked out Tommy Mowatt in two rounds, Benny Yanger in four. He developed wonderfully in a year's time. Now he is broad shouldered, thick muscled and strong. Of late he has been winning regularly with knockouts and over good ones.

If Murphy and Corbett are matched, keep your eyes on the Harley lad. Whatever happens, it'll be a fight.

SPORTING ST. LOUIS--THE BOWLER



THE SPORTSMAN'S NICHE



Two educators of St. Louis are doing notably valuable service along the lines of inculcating love of athletics in youth, Father Coffey of St. Leo's and Father Dempsey of St. Patrick's. These gentlemen have installed gymnasiums in their schools, erected handball courts and other places of recreation for their boys. Father Dempsey has built in the school yard of St. Patrick's a very good handball court, in fact the best open alley in the city. The wall is of brick and the floor is cement. Father Coffey has not yet finstalled his courts, but is proceeding upon an elaborate scale of construction.

These schools are in the congested district, where the youth of the city has slight chance to play outdoor games. Father Dempsey says that the gymnasium has proven invaluable in keeping boys off the streets and out of the poolrooms.

Narration of this quiet and useful work may not attract as much attention as relation of great sporting spectacles of the exhibitive arena, but it is none the less of a most valuable nature and worthy of high commendation.

They say that Champion Wrestler Beell is sculptured on the order of George Baptiste. He could not have chosen a finer model.

The final retirement of Jimmie Collins from the management and captaincy of the Boston American League baseball club puts at least a temporary period to a brilliant career in baseball. Collins was beyond doubt the best of third basemen. His only serious rivals in the position have been Bradley of Cleveland and Wallace of St. Louis. While, indeed, there is not very much to choose between the trio in effect of performance, it always appeared to me that Collins excelled his competitors in one or two points. He was the most graceful player ever seen in the position and the better fielder of bunts, the latter perhaps, the highest test of a third baseman's ability. Withal he was very much of a man personally and a sound judge of baseball play when in the heat of conflict. Further, he was highly qualified to lead and incite his fellows to great deeds and clever artifices of performance, qualities in which Bradley and Wallace have been deemed not at all his equals.

Collins was, and, no doubt, is, the very picture of a third baseman. Physically speaking, he was made for the position. His temperament was as perfect as his action, appearance and performance.

Carelessness and so-called good fellowship is responsible for the eclipse of this brilliant young man. In five years from his time he joined Boston in 1896 to the season in which he led his team to the world's championship in 1901, Collins rose from a very subordinate position in baseball to its supreme playing altitude as champion third baseman, captain and manager of the world's champions. Upon the principle that it is much easier to fall than to arise, he tumbled from the lofty summit, to climb which was the employment of 10 years, in three months.

Lack of a stern hand handicapped Collins. His players, filled with the odor of self-sufficiency, neglected to train for the season of 1906. Collins, too good-natured to assert himself, let the men canker on him. When he called for a rally they were unfit to reply, highly as they esteemed him. Soft of texture, he fell into easy ways himself. Open-hearted, lenient, easily appeased, he expected to find similar qualities in others. When disappointed he weakened and fell.

But we are not writing finis to the career of James J. Collins. He possesses too fine a character, is too proud, to permanently accept premature and perpetual oblivion. The man in him will assert itself and this young ballplayer will again be what he once was, the admired and beloved of millions.

We can see Tex Rickard divorce Billy Nolan from a split at faro, but we cannot see him split Billy from a dollar. So how is he going to get that moving picture money?

SMATHERS CLEARED OF "DOPE" CHARGE

Lou Dillon Won Now Famous Trotting Race on Her Merits.

St. Louis light harness horsemen will be glad to hear that in New York Wednesday E. E. Smathers, owner of Major Delmar, winner of the Memphis gold cup trotting race at Memphis on Oct. 18, 1904, was exonerated by the Board of Review of the National Trotting Association of the charge of bribing Ed Saunders to "dope" Lou Dillon, the property of C. K. G. Billings, so that Major Delmar could win the race and cup.

An affidavit signed by Ed Saunders was introduced. In his affidavit Saunders stated that the charges that Lou Dillon was doped were absolutely untrue and without foundation, and that he never conspired with Smathers or anybody else for the purpose of stopping the mare.

According to Saunders Murray Howe, the latter, secretary of the Memphis Trotting Association, and George Spear induced him to go to Chicago and make the false affidavit. A letter was received from Millard Saunders, brother of Ed Saunders, and trainer of Lou Dillon at the time of the Gold Cup race in which Millard Saunders stated that he believed that Lou Dillon was doped, and also that a few days before the race that his brother Ed Saunders had informed him that George Spear, trainer for Mr. Smathers, was willing to pay $5000 to have Lou Dillon fixed.

Millard Saunders also stated that the night before the race that Spear came to his hotel, but before he could make known his business that, he (Saunders) ordered him from the room. After deliberating less than an hour after all of the testimony was in the board decided that the race was decided on its merits and Mr. Smathers was exonerated. It is expected that the board will give its attention to Ed Saunders and George Spear Thursday.

THE FATE OF ONE BASEBALL PARK TO BE IN HANDS OF MAYOR WELLS

Will Give Property Owners a Hearing Before Signing Ordinance to Protect National League Diamond.

Mathew Stanley Robison, president of the St. Louis National League Baseball Club, is vitally interested in the bill now before the Municipal Assembly to vacate Palm street from Perry to Vandeventer avenue. The keenness of Mr. Robison's interest may be appreciated when it it understood that, if the ordinance does not pass and receive the Mayor's signature he will be without a baseball park next season.

That the ordinance will probably pass the Municipal Council is the opinion of those familiar with conditions. There are lawyers who express doubts of its legality and others say that the City of St. Louis, as the citizens resident in the locality a very thorough hearing before he signs the document. These are mere conjectures, however.

The property holders in the locality are said to object seriously to the ordinance. It is said that some of the property in the neighborhood was sold with a guarantee in the deed of sale that the baseball park would be bisected by Palm street at the expiration of the lease, which will die in April, 1907.

The Mercantile Trust Co., which handled much property in the vicinity, said that no part of its estate had been sold with any such guarantee.

The park was leased to the Sportsman's Park and Club—the corporate title of Chris Von Der Ahe, April 1, 1892, for a period of 15 years. The leasehold was purchased by the American Baseball and Athletic Exhibition Co., in which Mathew Stanley and Frank De Hass Robison are majority stockholders, in 1900.

Mr. Robison urges that the opening of Palm street is not vitally essential to public welfare; that Lexington avenue, the next street south, would serve all public need, if it is made through from Perry to Vandeventer. He says that were Palm street cut through from Vandeventer to Perry it would not directly conjoin with itself east of Perry and there would be a step off of half a block. Levington avenue, Mr. Robison says, is that close to Palm street east of the park and that by using Lexington avenue the public would not suffer any inconvenience. Mr. Robison recently purchased the property through which Lexington avenue, when extended, will run, and offers to open the street through.

There is a petition of property holders in the House of Delegates against the vacation of the street and one in its favor. Judge Wilbur F. Boyle, who owns 6200 feet of property south and west of the park, says that he has no objection to it.

Mr. Robison says that his park is not in any sense a detriment to property in the neighborhood; that it is a place of orderly assemblage and that baseball parks never have been in any city deemed undesirable neighbors.

JUNIORS BEAT SOPHS.

Left Halfback Thomas of the Washington University Juniors was the bright star of the rugby football game with the sophomores for the interclass championship of the university, which was played in the Stadium Wednesday afternoon. The Juniors won, 10 to 6, mainly because of the great playing of Thomas, who during the past season was a regular on the varsity eleven. Thomas kicked a goal from placement from the 35-yard line, carried the ball over the Sophomore's goal line for a touchdown and kicked goal.

RAIN LIKELY TO AGAIN STOP RACE

If it rains Friday it will be necessary to again postpone the first annual 10-mile road race which is scheduled to be run off under the auspices of the Missouri A. C. on the following day. The race will be started at Normandy Grove and for quite a distance the men will run on Natural Bridge road.

At many points the road is muddy now and another rain would make it very hard indeed for the men to push their way through. The race was to have been held last Saturday, but was postponed on account of rain.

Twelve men have entered for the contest. They are F. L. Jackson, Don Weir, J. J. Gleason and Ed Delporte, all of the M. A. C.; Clarence Kirby, Eddie Marschuetz and Joe Gleeson of the Social Turnverein, Walsh of the Crescent A. C. and Probert and Reed, unattached. The race will be started at 1 o'clock and it is expected that the men will reach the finish at the Missouri A. C. at 3 p. m.

WILL BUILD BIG TRACK FOR CYCLISTS IN ONE DAY

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Two very important preliminaries to the great international six-day bicycle race, which starts at Madison Square Garden Sunday at midnight, take place today.

An army of carpenters will swarm over the big arena, throwing up as if by magic the wonderful steep banked saucer track, over which the race is to be run. It will be built before midnight.

The Boston delegation of racers, comprising Matt Downey, the ex-amateur champion, who made such a big hit last year; Jimmy Moran, who will ride with Downey; Patsy Logan, the game Irishman, and his teammate, Louis Mettling; Hugh McLean, who has teamed up this season with Bobby Walthour, and A. W. MacDonald and his teammate, the amateur champion, Johnny Coffey, are all due here before night.

Late tomorrow night the work of constructing the track will be practically finished, and early Saturday morning it will be given a thorough tryout by the six-day men, the short-distance racers and the motorcycle riders, who are billed in the many events that will be put on during the cycling carnival.

Big Sum for Horses.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—With the conclusion of the Old Glory sale of trotters and slow horses at Madison Square Garden yesterday the total sum of $429,785 was realized. One thousand and thirteen horses were sold. These figures have been beaten only twice before, being exceeded in 1901 and 1906. The average price obtained for each horse was $424.27.

Tebeau Wants to Move.

To take the headquarters of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues to Chicago is the latest idea of George Tebeau, the great mogul in minor league circles. George claims the headquarters are altogether out of place in New York City, as the majority of the baseball leagues, of which the national association is the head, are to be found in the Middle West. Tebeau proposes to have the headquarters removed to Illinois during the coming year and as he was one of the organizers of the body it is highly probable that he will succeed.

PICKED-UP AROUND TOWN BETWEEN SHOWERS

To reduce the size of the football to facilitate the forward pass is Eddie Cochems' own idea and in springing it he demonstrates the thoroughness with which he has grasped the possibilities of football under the new rules. Robinson and Scheider were the only St. Louis U. men with hands large enough to effectively project the ball in the forward pass and the play is impossible to teams where the size of the players' hands cause them to fumble in grasping the 'skin.

A. C. McCafferty's Glamor won her fourth successive race by winning the five and one-half furlong handicap for all ages at New Orleans Wednesday. Burley and O'Neill's sprinter, Rebo, was the only contestant, the other three in the field being outclassed by this pair and not worth considering. Glamor forced the pace on all quarters.

The fight between Hugo Kelley and Jack (Twin) Sullivan for the middleweight championship will go to Los Angeles. Sylvie Ferretti, Kelley's manager, says he has accepted the offer made by the fight officials. Ferretti says he is willing to sign the articles if the officials will agree to New Year's day. Kelley has a bout with Dave Barry at Rochester, N. Y., on Dec. 12.

Littman was beaten by Cassilly in Wednesday night's M. A. C. pool tournament game by a score of 100 to 86. A high run of 12 was made by Cassilly, while his opponent's best bunch was 10. Reamer and Allbright play Thursday evening.

Following the tip of an old-time miner, luck ran for Kid Herman the first day he struck Tonopah. He took the bunch and visited a gambling house with a party of friends. He decided to "try himself out" on the wheel, winning the first bet and pyramiding his winnings seven times consecutively, cleaning up $10,000, which he immediately bet on himself in his fight with Gans at the prevailing odds.

Barney Schreiber had only a small bet on his Bannochburn-Laura Agnes gelding, Sam Barker, the winner of the first 2-year-old maiden event at Frisco, but there was a tip out on the youngster and others probably profited as much by the win as his owner.

Danny Maher, the American jockey, stands third on the list in England for the past year. He would undoubtedly have been second but for an accident that compelled a lay-off for a fortnight.

Prof. Paul J. Dashiell, head coach of the Naval Academy football team, has severed his connection with the American Intercollegiate Football Rules Committee, of which he has for a number of years been chairman. Prof. Dashiell was recently promoted to a full professorship at the Naval Academy, with the rank of Lieutenant, and it is understood that hereafter he will devote his entire time to his academic and sporting work at the academy.

After 18 years of fighting, Tommy Ryan has announced his intention to retire, and he will hand his title to Hugo Kelly, who he declares deserves it. He passes his honors on to Kelly after deciding he is the best in the middleweight class, and hopes that Kelly will work hard to defend it.

"For Dick Hyland, Willie Fitzgerald or Aurelia Herrara" is the label on the trio of challenges issued for Jimmy Britt by his manager. Britt will take on any of the three for the last of the month. Britt says he never felt better in his life and would like a go with Gans or Nelson.

O. D. Davis won over John Layton in the State pool championship tournament at the Broadway Wednesday night, 100 to 90. Davis had high run of 33, while Layton's best was 18. Klumpp and Hegel will play Thursday night.

Harry Castleton has been elected captain of the Washington University team to succeed biz Luckey, who is barred from further participation in the game by the four-year rule. Castleton is a heady player, and it was under his intelligent direction that the Myrtle and Maroon defeated the Missouri Tigers on Nov. 17. Castleton weighs but 130 pounds, but what he is lacking in weight he makes up in brains.

It looks like bad humor were going to bring Jack O'Brien back among the heavyweights, although he announced that he would stay in the middle class. He is now out with challenges for Jack Johnson and Burns, and says he will fight either before the Pacific A. C. He declares he will fight Burns anywhere from six rounds up to a finish battle.

Telegrams from Jim Jeffries, Frankie Neil and Jimmie Britt were received by Harry Lewis, the pugilist charged with the murder of Mike Ward in Michigan, in which each offered to go on his bond.

Montreal will have to pay the $750 which is due the St. Louis Club of the National League for Player Raub. This decision was handed down by the National Baseball Commission Wednesday.

On Dec. 23 and on Christmas Day a selected eleven from the Association Football League of St. Louis will oppose the Hyde Park Blues here. The Blues are the recognized champions of Chicago, and have held that title for two years. It is believed this aggregation will put up a stronger fight than a selected team from the Chicago organizations. The St. Louis team will face the strongest line-up at the command of the Blues' Captain, and the struggle at Kulage Park promises to be a good one. It has not been decided whether the St. Louis team will be the leading team of the League or a picked bunch of stars. In either case the team will be the strongest in the association.

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Woman Used Them in Pies; He Wants Her Punished.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DES MOINES, Io., Dec. 6.—Mrs. H. L. Tabard of Roanoke will be called before the next grand jury there for an alleged violation of the pure food laws of the State. Mrs. Tabard used rotten eggs in pumpkin pies that were intended for a trap for a thief, who has regularly been stealing pastry from the Tabard pantry.

The trap worked and the thief was detected by the sickness which followed. The man now demands the prosecution of Mrs. Tabard for violating the pure food laws.

EAST ST. LOUIS SOCIETY

On Friday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock Mrs. H. A. Ismond of Division avenue, will entertain the Halcyon Society of the First Presbyterian Church. A special program has been arranged for the event. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Balfour will render several vocal selections and Miss Mabel Woods, pianist of St. Louis, will also take part.

The inclement weather of Friday added to the interest taken by the members of the Five Hundred Club, who had assembled in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haynes on Brighton place to enjoy the game, five hundred. All the members were present and some charming costumes were worn. After the game prizes were awarded to H. D. Sexton, Mr. Wilson, Mrs. Stapleton, Mrs. Derleth, and Mr. and Mrs. Fekete carried away the consolation prizes. A course luncheon was served and the evening was most delightful. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Bratton, Derleth, Haynes, Wilson, W. Hill, Stapleton, H. D. Sexton, A. Keechler, T. M. Carter, C. G. Derleth, Rinaman, J. F. Reid, J. R. Henry, H. J. De Haan and S. Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis of Illinois avenue, entertained a number of their friends Thursday evening at dinner. The affair was a most enjoyable one. For the event, Mrs. Davis dressed her home lavishly with American beauties and cedar. Several contests were introduced during the evening. Card playing was another feature. Dinner was served at 6 o'clock. In the center of the table a boquet of roses, with streamers of Southern smilax, trailing to the corners of the table. Covers were laid for Mr and Mrs. Chas. Kurrus, Kay, Barnes, Lester, Dr. Armstrong, Van Dusen, Davis; Mmes. D. Hunt, Vincent, Meamber; Misses Hanna Burns, Shank, Mr. T. Kay.

An affair of the past week was a pink tea given by Mrs. Warner of Gaty avenue Wednesday. A most delightful afternoon was spent in vocal and piano solos. Tea was served at 5 o'clock. The engagement of her daughter Helen was announced at the table by the hostess. The wedding will take place sometime this month. Those present were: Misses Louise Davis, Ethel Thompson, Lillian Rollison, Hanna Davis, Grace Thomas, Lyda Galloway; Mesars. Jard Davis, F. Parish, W. J. Williamson, Louis Hicks, Henry Trebbe, C. H. Briggs, Oscar Klug.

In honor of the Thimble Club, Mrs. Vollman of North Thirty-fifth street entertained the members from 2 until 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The time was spent in doing dainty bits of work for the coming holidays. After an hour spent in social gossip a nicely prepared luncheon was served. Those present were: Mmes. Stillman, Strautman, Vollman; Misses Sadie Thorn, Una Bridges, Grace Taylor, Bessie Scanlon.

Friday afternoon the members of the Queen City Euchre Club met with Mrs. Griffin of North Seventh street and enjoyed one of the most delightful meetings of this season. The time passed quickly and pleasantly. After the conclusion of the game dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Mmes. Dillion, Barner, Portnier, Page, May, Du Bois, H. Hoeffinger, J. Kay, Watson, Gutwald, Eastman, Coffey, W. Edwards, Haynes, Bauer, Webster, Sollinger, W. F. Lamb, Griffith, May, Caughlin, Bleck, Wood.

One of the delightful dinner parties in honor of Thanksgiving was that given by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hoeflinger of Kansas avenue. The house was prettily arranged and decorated. The color scheme was yellow and green. The evening was spent in music and dancing. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Rohrig, C. Gruenlinger, C. Kirby, C. Hellman; Misses Ona Gruenlinger, Ruth Kirby, Marie Hoeflinger; Messrs. J. Weidman, C. Gibbs, M. Wickham, H. Schlepper, H. Kirby, C. Gruenlinger.

The members of the Thursday Afternoon Euchre Club met for the first time this season with Mrs. D. E. Crenshaw of St. Louis avenue. An elaborate luncheon followed the awarding of prizes. Mmes. Wiegman, Bockwits and Crenshaw were the winners. The hostess had decorated her home in a very tasty manner. Ferns and cut flowers were chiefly used. The members present were: Mmes. J. B. Brown, Mussman, Bockwits, St. Clair, Kelley, Wiegman, Wiggle; Misses Hilgert, Jamerson.

The Whist Club was entertained Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. T. M. Carter of North Eighth street. The afternoon was a delightful one and after the regular game of whist a social hour was enjoyed and a delicious course luncheon was served. The decorations were pretty. Large standards, holding big chrysanthemums, made the drawing room, where the hostess received her guests, more beautiful. Those attending were: Mmes. Fekete, H. D. Sexton, C. G. Derleth, Keechler, Carter, Tarlton, W. H. Hill and Stapleton.

The second meeting of the Wednesday Afternoon Euchre Club, recently organized by a number of the young matrons of society, was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. J. Eckert on Ohio avenue. Her decorations were very pretty, in chrysanthemums, ferns and tall palms. From 2 until 5 o'clock cards were enjoyed and suitable prizes were awarded. A delicious luncheon was served at the close of the afternoon. The members attending were: Mmes. Dr. Rendleman, Raymond Fairbrother, Dr. Zimmerman, Nat McLean, E. Eggman, Charles Horner, Will Horner, S. J. Fowler, C. Gillen, C. C. Meints, R. R. Sikking, Robert Sikking, Robert Thomas, H. J. Thomas, H. J. Eckert and Charles Barrow.

Mrs. E. D. Pendleton of Baugh avenue gavea pretty 6 o'clock dinner Thursday in honor of her husband. A splendid course luncheon was served on a beautifully arranged table. Covers were laid for: Messrs. T. W. Conch, Harry Sparks, Herbert Lafra, Warren Bailey, Locke Tarlton, A. H. Pendleton and E. M. Pendleton.

A pretty social function of Thursday afternoon was the card party given by Mr. and Mrs. La Buiser of St. Clair avenue. Their house was abloom with autumn flowers and Southern smilax. Cards were enjoyed for several hours. Dancing was another feature. A course dinner was served, which was enjoyed by all present, who were: Mr. and Mrs. Sollinger, La Buiser, Louis Eckert, Chas. Eckert, Chas. Knecht, Peter Knecht; Mmes. Renner, Joe Taylor, Ginder; Misses Clara North, Belle White, Eva Clark, Ida White, Emma Johnson, Maud Striffler and Mr. Chris Wagner.

Mrs. Buchanan of North Ninth street charmingly entertained a few friends informally at dinner on Tuesday. Her guests were: Dr. and Mrs. Archibald, Rev. and Mrs. Billman, Dr. and Mrs. Bottom, Mr. and Mrs. F. Elam, H. Burkl and C. M. Hanna.

GOSSIP.

Mrs. W. B. Hortsman of Market avenue has been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dry of Murphysboro for the past week.

Friday afternoon Mrs. H. A. Ismond of Gaty avenue will be at home to the members of the Halcyon Society.

E. C. Gibson of North Ninth street has gone to Indian Territory on an extended hunting trip.

Mrs. D. E. Crenshaw of St. Louis avenue is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Miss Elsie Stief of Belmont avenue has gone to College View, Neb., where she will attend school during the winter.

Mrs. C. G. Derleth of Pennsylvania avenue will entertain the members of the Matrons' Club on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. Webb and daughters of Mt. Vernon, Ill., are the guests of Mrs. Webb's brother, Commodore Carr of Cleveland avenue.

Mrs. W. G. Carney of North Twelfth street will entertain the members of the Wednesday Club at their next meeting.

Mrs. W. Lightner of Gaty avenue has returned from Town Hill.

J. C. Owens of College avenue has returned home after a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Miss Grace Matlack of Ohio avenue is the guest of Miss Myrtle Holman of Chester.

Miss Inez Roe of Pinckneyville is the guest of Miss Lillian McFarland of College avenue.

Miss Prudence Moody of Pennsylvania avenue has gone to Cedar Rapids, Io., where she will be the guest of Miss Blanch Brooks.

Mrs. E. P. Layton of Bond avenue entertained the Alta Sita Euchre Club at her home Saturday evening.

Miss Hilda Owens of College avenue is entertaining the Misses Wallace of Lebanon, Ill.

Miss Bertha Hilpert of North Eighth street entertained at tea Thursday evening.

Miss Adele Berkmeyer of St. Louis avenue is spending the week with relatives in Lebanon.

Mrs. E. Walker of North Fourteenth street has returned from Tower Hill, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Gregory of College avenue, after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hardy of Alton, returned home Friday.

A. B. Frankel of North Eighth street returned home Saturday after a business trip to Paris.

Mrs. Reid of Pennsylvania avenue is entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guendel of Decatur.

Mrs. J. Benner and her daughter Agnes, of North Eighth street, are spending several days with friends in Belleville.

Mrs. William Rust of North Eighth street has for her guest Miss Mary Rust of Renault, Ill.

Dr. N. Hodgson of St. Clair avenue spent Sunday with friends in Springfield.

R. G. Irish of Veronica avenue has returned from an extended business trip North.

James Taaffe of North Sixth street is entertaining his brother, George Taaffe of Cherryville, Kan.

Miss Grace Fry of North Thirteenth street was tendered a pleasant surprise by a number of her friends Wednesday evening, the occasion being her birthday.

Mrs. Horner of Alta Sita will entertain the members of the Alta Sita Woman's Club next Friday afternoon.

Samuel Foster of Beardstown has returned home after spending several days with his sister, Mrs. A. W. Ferree of North Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ginder of Washington have returned home after a delightful visit with Mr. and Mrs. La Buiser of St. Clair avenue.

Miss Anna Sudduth will give a recital Dec. 8 at the First Christian Church.

Miss Mabel Miller returned to her home in Mount Vernon, Ill., after visiting Mrs. A. Potts of Lansdowne.

Mrs. Cora Rudolph and daughter Ruth of Cairo, Ill., are the guests of Mrs. James Taaffe of North Sixth street.

Mrs. John Bratton of State street will be hostess to the members of the Five Hundred Club at their next meeting.

Mrs. Frank Craig of Bond avenue has for her guests this week, Mrs. G. Edmiston of Marissa, Ill.

Mrs. D. H. Sprecher of North Thirteenth street will entertain the members of the Ladies' Literary Circle Thursday afternoon.

Dr. A. McBrien of Columbia place is home from a short visit in Odin.

Miss Anna Shone of Collinsville avenue returned last evening from a visit in Coffeen, Ill.

Miss Anna Wildy of New Athens, Ill., returned home Tuesday after a brief visit with Mrs. J. Gain of Collinsville avenue.

His Resignation Accepted.

The Navy Department has accepted the resignation from the service of Dexter Tiffany Jr., formerly of St. Louis. He was paymaster of the battleship Rhode Island, and has lately been attached to the navy yards at Boston during the trial of his pay clerk, Alfred E. Porter, on a charge of embezzlement of funds. Tiffany paid out about $14,000 to balance the accounts.

Policemen Want Pensions.

A committee of three will meet the Board of Police Commissioners at their meeting Friday and ask permission to start a campaign to pension aged policemen. An effort to have such a measure passed by the Legislature two years ago failed and the $1800 contributions that were left from that campaign will be used to send a lobby to Jefferson City if permission is given. A meeting was held Wednesday afternoon and the following committee was appointed to lay matters before the board: Sergt. Haley, Central District; Lieut. Donegan, Magnolia Street Station, and Sergt. McCormack of the Mounted District.

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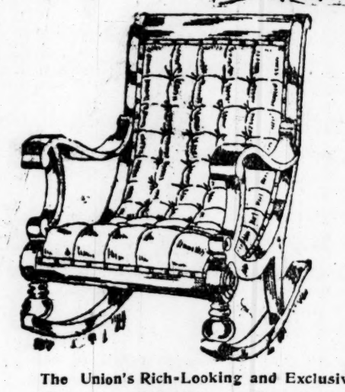
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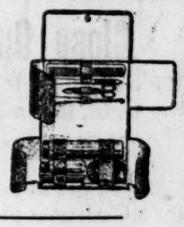
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Opera Glasses — With pearl barrels, gold-mounted— $5.00, $6.00, $8.00, $10.00 to $20.00.



Practical Gifts for the Housewife

Chafing Dishes In all the newest styles and finishes, including nickel, copper and gunmetal; all are fitted with the newest devices— $2.75, $3.00, $3.25, $4.00, $5.00 to $25

Coffee Machines A uniform quality of coffee is assured when one of these is used. We have 12 styles, in various sizes; made of aluminum, copper or nickel— $3, $3.50, $4, $4.50, $5, $6 to $30

Baking Dishes Nickel-plated, in plain or fancy patterns, ebony or nickel-plated handles; all of these dishes are fitted with removable porcelain dish— $2.75, $3.00, $3.50, $3.75 and $4.25

(Second Floor.)

Novelties for Christmas Decoration

On the second floor is displayed a splendid line of paper novelties for decorative purposes.

Christmas Bells, 3 sizes, 5c, 10c and 15c

Christmas Garlands, 25c each

Crepe Paper, holly and other appropriate designs— 10c and 16c a roll

Also a complete line of Christmas Cards, Tags, Labels, Handy Boxes, etc., for presentation use.

Fountain Pens for Gifts!

Very acceptable to anyone. Just now an expert from the factory is

Demonstrating the A. A. Waterman Fountain Pen

And will take pleasure in showing its many merits to you. Main Floor. Liberal allowance made on old pens.

Tool Chests



Filled with good, practical Tools; suitable gift for the carpenter or householder.

Tool Chest of selected oak, with full outfit of standard Tools, each selected for practical use and fully warranted— Complete, $12.50

Other Tool Sets, $2.50, $3.50, $5.00, $7.50 to $30.00.

Tool Chests for boys, 50c, 75c and 90c

Toyland

In the Basement

Trains That Go



Steam Trains— $8.00, $11.50, $15.00 to $40.00

Key Winding Trains— $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 up to $30.00

Trolley Cars—run by electricity— $7.00, $10.00 and $12.00

Gravity Railroads— $1.50

Engines of All Kinds Upright Engines— 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $2.00 up to $36.00

Horizontal Engines— $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 to $50.00

All kinds of attachments to be run by these engines are shown. Included are lathes, buffers, circular saws, drills, etc.

Animals



Monkeys— $1.00, $1.25, $2.50, $5.00 and $6.00

Bulldogs— $2.00, $2.50 and $3.50

"Teddy" Bears— $2.00, $2.50, $4.00, $6.00 to $15.00

Elephants—big enough to ride— $7.50, $10.00 to $20.00

Donkeys—on wheels— $6.50 to $10.00



Mechanical Toys

Key-winding—A splendid assortment is shown — Orchestras, Trip Hammers, Circular Saws, Soap Bubble Blower, Dancing Figures of all kinds and scores of others, at very reasonable prices.

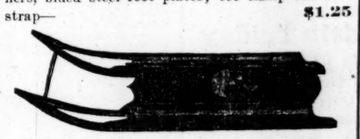
For the Boys and Girls

Below are a few of the more substantial articles designed for the pleasures of the girls and boys.



Ice Skates Boys' "Klipper Klub" Ice Skates; cast-steel runners, polished steel foot plates; all clamp patterns— $1.00

Girls' Ice Skates—Cast steel, hollow-ground runners, blued steel foot plates; toe clamp and heel strap— $1.25



Sleds of All Kinds Coasters for Boys, 35c, 50c to $2.25. Girls' Sleds, all sizes, 50c 60c, 80c, $1.20 to $3.50

Push Sleds for the baby, handsomely finished— $6.00

"Flexible Flyer"—A coaster that can be steered without touching feet to the ground — $2.50, $3.00, $3.75, $4.50 to $12.00. Bob Sleds—will carry from 2 to 8 passengers— $2.75 to $18.00



Bicycles For Boys, three sizes, 20, 24 and 26-inch wheels; guaranteed "Run Easy" tires, padded saddles and adjustable handle bars— $20.00 and $21.00

Girls' Bicycles, same as above, but fitted with drop frame and skirt guard— $20.00 and $21.00



Tricycles

All sizes and styles; best materials— $4.50, $5.50, $6, $6.25, $6.75 up to $15.

Gifts for Smokers

If a man smokes, something of this kind is always a safe choice.



French Brier Pipes With amber stems; straight or curved and fitted in handsome plush lined cases— $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $2.75 to $5.00

Fancy Brier Pipes, gold or silver mounted; all styles— $4, $4.50, $5 up to $12.00

Meerschaum Pipes Finest amber stems, straight or curved styles, fitted in plush lined cases— $3.00, $3.50 to $6.50

Meerschaum Pipes, fancy hand-carved designs in cases— $5.50, $7.50 to $15.00

Cigar Holders Made of Meerschaum, with amber mouthpieces, or entirely of amber— 50c to $5.00

Cigar Moisteners Solid oak cases, with porcelain lining; will keep cigars in fine condition— $12.50

Other Cigar Moisteners in various styles— $3, $4 to $6

Toyland

In the Basement

Dolls A splendid collection of Dolls is one of the features of Toyland.

Jointed Sleeping Dolls, 25c to 50c

Kid Body Sleeping Dolls— 50c, $1.00, $1.50, $1.75 to $2.75

Rag Dolls— 50c and $1.00

Rubber Dolls—

Dressed Dolls— 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and $1.00

25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 up to $10

Doll Furniture Everything for dolly comfort, just like the real thing.

Ranges— $2.00, $3.50, $4.50, $5.00 and $6.00

Tea Sets— 25c, 50c, $1.00 to $3.00

Pianos— $1.50, $2.50, $3.50 to $18

Doll Furniture, as Sideboards, Tables, Settees, Beds, etc., at reasonable prices.



Doll Novelties

Watches— 25c, 35c and 50c

Purses— 25c and 35c

Parasols— 75c, 85c and $1.00

Scent Bottles— 65c

Jewelry Sets— 40c and 75c

Scroll Saws Foot power, steel frame, nickel-plated table. Each machine has full set of attachments; three sizes— $3, $3.50 and $8



Formerly Simmons'

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney Dry Goods Co.

Broadway and St. Charles

HOUSEW'IVES ROBBED FLATS.

Plunder Worth $5000 Recovered in Chicago Home.

Special to the Post Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Two married women burglars have been caught robbing flats and $5000 in plunder has been recovered.

Mrs. Elsie Kilen and Mrs. Margaret Nagle have families and, after doing their housework, would skirmish around with 52 skeleton keys and found no difficulty in looting flats whose occupants were out.

"She urged me on and told me to do these things," said Mrs. Kilen. "It was Mrs. Nagle who first gave me skeleton keys and told me they would open any door. I could not help doing what she said."

The loot was found in Mrs. Nagle's home. She is 29 and pretty.

Don't Wait

But take advantage of this the GREATEST SALE of

Cravenettes AND Raincoats

For MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN

Being compelled to vacate our present premises, as the building is coming down, and imperative orders from headquarters in New York to

Close Out the Entire Stock

We will sell the following lot numbers, until Saturday night, 10 p. m., only, at

25% Less Than Cost to Manufacture.

If you are at a loss what to buy your loved one for a Christmas present, here is one that will please them, with a big saving to you.

Lot No. 1 Consisting of 140 Men's Raincoats that can be worn in all kinds of weather; regular $12.50 value—now **$5.50**

Lot No. 2 Consisting of 145 Ladies' Raincoats, in several different shades and styles; regular $12.50 values—now **$4.75**

Lot No. 3 Consisting of 175 Men's Cravenettes, in plain gray and light and dark fancy mixtures; a stylish overcoat and rainproof; $18.00 value—now.. **$7.50**

Lot No. 4 Consisting of 165 Ladies' Cravenettes, made in the very latest styles and a great variety of shades and fabrics — value $20.00—now **$9.25**

Lot No. 5 Consists of 200 Men's and Women's high-grade Priestly Cravenettes, made of imported materials in the very latest styles and shades; regular $30 values—now **$12.50**

Lot No. 6 Consists of **300** $4 and $6 Boys' and Girls' Mackintoshes at $1.50 and $2.50

Open Evenings

Mail Orders promptly attended to when accompanied by money order or check. Give length and chest measurements.

Open Evenings

GOODYEAR RAIN COAT CO.

Near Broadway 504 OLIVE ST. Near Broadway

Men's $12.50

Suits and Overcoats, $8.88



Special Bargain Friday

A Special Bargain Friday, offering of both Suits and Overcoats; actual $12.50 Suits and Overcoats at $8.88. It's the greatest money-saving proposition in St. Louis. Suits represent the very newest fall and winter styles, in fancy worsteds, cheviots and all-wool cassimeres. Overcoats come in all lengths and sizes; special tomorrow at **$8.88**

Men's $2.00 Pants,

Splendid assortment of patterns in stripes and neat mixtures; every pair perfect fitting; reliably made; special **1.13**

Men's Bath Robes

Ideal Christmas gifts; light, medium and dark colors; special bargain Friday **$2.95**

Men's Smoking Jackets

Handsome two-toned effects in the newest combinations and colorings; made with bound and corded edges and pockets and silk frog fastenings; special sale price **$5.00**

Boys' $2.50 Knee-Pant Suits

Special Bargain Friday

All sizes 8 to 16. In neat brown overplaids, stripes and fancy mixtures; every suit made for good hard wear; an offer no parent can afford to overlook; special tomorrow **$1.50**

Boys' $6.50 Overcoats

All sizes 3 to 16; Russian effects for the little tots 3 to 8 years of age. For boys 8 to 16 the long semi-form-fitting and loose back styles; special tomorrow **$5.00**

Men's $2.50 Stiff Hats

All new fall and winter styles; colors, black, brown and steel; fine fur felt, with heavy silk trimmings; special Friday **$1.85**

Children's 50c Stocking Caps

Extra long heavy weight caps in plain colors and assorted stripes; special bargain Friday **39c**

GRAND-LEADER

Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co.

IN SOCIETY

Notices of social events intended for publication in the Sunday Post-Dispatch should reach the Post-Dispatch office not later than noon of the Friday preceding.

The engagement of Miss Gay McIlvaine and Lloyd Brookings Harris was announced at a prettily appointed luncheon given Tuesday by Mrs. McIlvaine at her home, 5325 Sidney street. Only Miss McIlvaine's most intimate girl friends were present. The announcement was made by Mrs. Eugene Schlanger, one of the winter brides, who was before her marriage Miss Lily Schubert. Miss McIlvaine has been prominent in Union Club circles and especially in musical circles, since her coming out three years ago. She is talented, has charming manners and is pretty. Mr. Harris is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harris of Waverly place. The wedding will take place in June.

The guests at the luncheon were: Misses Laura Hempp, Elsa Stocke, Althea Harvey, Halcyon Campbell, Ruth Ortwein, Frances Seaman and Edna Donk; Mmes. Harry Koerner, Eugene Schlange and George Priest.

Mrs. John J. Taussig entertained Tuesday evening at her Lafayette avenue home for her daughter, Miss Lenore Taussig. The hours were from 8 to 5 o'clock. The house was decorated in white chrysanthemums in the drawing room, where the hostess and her daughter received the guests. They were assisted by Miss Grace Taussig and Miss Brandis.

In the dining room the decorations were pink roses and smilax. Miss Evelyn Milleus and Miss Helen Haddington served punch and Misses Margaret Cabell, Hildegarde Nagel, Blanch Turner and Nellie Lutz served frappe. Mrs. Taussig wore a gown of black lace over white. Miss Taussig was in lilac silk and tulle, and Miss Lenore Taussig wore an all white gown of chiffon cloth with tiny silver spangles. Miss Brandis was in pink radium. Miss Turner wore white lace chiffon. Some of the guests present were: Mmes. W. E. Fischel, Francis A. Lane, Nathaniel Lane, D. M. Houser, Edward Flad, Alfred Shapleigh, Ansley Cabell, Duncan Mellier, J. B. M. Koenlor, J. T. Wallach, George Tower, Ben F. Gray, Jr., W. K. Bixby, William Hughes, Geo. Carpenter, D. A. Bixby, Morrison Fuller, E. W. Pattison; Misses Bertha Skinker, Marguerite Mellier, Angeline Davis, Marguerite Tower, Mary Wright, Mary Prince, Sue Meriwether, Louise Thayer and Isabel Skinker.

The concert for two pianos given at the St. Louis Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon, by Misses Ottylie and Juliette Soudheim was an artistic and fashionable affair. The Misses Soudheim are St. Louis girls, but for the past five years have spent most of their time in Europe and New York.

In the audience were Mmes. Julius S. Walsh, Julius S. Walsh Jr., David R. Calhoun, William C. Little, Max Kotany, J. D. Filley, John E. Thomson, E. W. Pattison, W. A. Hardaway.

The brilliant evening reception of the early week ras that given Tuesday evening by Mrs. T. A. Meysenburg, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Black. Mrs. Meysenburg's Westmoreland place home was decorated with smilax and evergreen. Roses of green were twined with roses and chrysanthemums. Mrs. Meysenburg and Mrs. Black received together. The latter wore a gown of white silk, made princess. The décolleté corsage was finished by a fall of exquisite point lace. She wore plume and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mrs. Black was in heavy black brocaded satin and point lace. About 500 invitations were issued, some of the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. William C. Stribling, D. M. Houser, George Tower, Elmer B. Adams, J. D. Shapleigh, J. C. Van Blarcom, Goodman King, Frank Kauffman, J. D. Filley, D. Bascom, Joseph Gilman Miller, Robert H. Kern, George O. Carpenter, Hudson E. Bridge, George L. Allen, George Warren Brown, Shepard Barclay, Halsey C. Ives, Edward Mallinckrodt, Alexander G. Cochran, David Rowland Francis, Robert McKittrick Jones, Thomas H. Wear, Samuel M. Kennard, Everett W. Pattison; Mmes. William L. Huse, William McMillan; Misses Marguerite Tower, Margaret Long, Frances Allen, Eleanor Glascow, Louise Thayer, Lois Kilpatrick, Marjory Oliver, Semple; Messrs. George Loker, William E. Williams, Edward Mallinckrodt Jr., Charles O'Fallon, Clark French, Ewing Hill Jr., Mahlon Wallace, James Brookmire, George O. Carpenter Jr., A. Douglas, L. D. Dozier, Louis Kotany.

The marriage of Miss Carolyn Stock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Stock of 1641 Missouri avenue, to Albert A. Rehbein of 4217 Morgan street will take place Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Dr. McKittrick of the First Presbyterian Church.

A reception will be given after the ceremony from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Rehbein will depart for the East.

The bride will wear a rose point lace and will carry lilies of the valley. The maid of honor will be Miss Margaret Stock, sister of the bride. She will wear pink radium, gun pleated and cut low, carrying pink roses.

Mrs. Stock, mother of the bride, will wear black lace.

William Rehbein, brother of the groom, will act as best man. Misses Noel Rothmann and Amy Jacob will act as flower girls and will wear white, trimmed with pink ribbon. More than 500 guests have been invited to attend the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Verity entertained a number of their friends at a bowling party Tuesday evening. Great interest was evinced in the pastime. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hicks, W. K. Schlimmel, H. J. Fentress, J. G. Catlin, James Hayward, J. T. Garrett, H. A. Vrooman, J. A. Parker, S. H. West, W. E. Dockry, F. G. Middlekauf, C. E. Curtis, C. C. Coudery, J. A. Potee; Misses Jones; Misses Cora Fish, Susie Fish, Louise Hilker, Nellie Teal; Messrs. E. S. Fish, J. H. Hornstein.

One of the pleasant affairs of the season was the "kitchen shower" given to George Finger and Miss Anna Jacobs, in honor of their wedding, which is to take place December 22. The house was decorated in pink and white carnations. Among those present were:

Misses Mary Finger, Josephine Roy, Laura Grossbach, Carrie Spitzler, Edna Dehrdt, Anna Lahr, Marie Lahr, Anna Lammert, Dolly Elsie Lahr, Adele Kuhnhenn, Kate Starck, Elizabeth Finger, Minnie Mansfield, Della Mansfield, Maud Poole, Bettie Poole, Dora Deffenbrocon, Marie Diefenbrocon, Messrs. Charles Molt, D. P. Wright, Arthur Rund, Val Oppeman, Albert Schweitzer, Wm. Metzler, Wm. Kolkhorst, P. W. Finger, Wm. Diefenbrocon, Peter Finger, Charles Roy Harrey Beard, Charles Guckenheimer, Max Mansfield, Leo Jeep, M. Elliott, George Williams, Tom Duffy, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rohr, G. Finger, A. Deffenbrocon.

Mrs. Ben F. Grey gave one of the handsome receptions of the season at her home in Cabanne Monday afternoon. Miss Margaret Cabell, one of the debutantes of the season, was the guest of honor. Mrs. Grey received in the drawing room with her. Many of the beautiful flowers sent to the debutante were displayed near the receiving party. Assisting the hostess in the library were Mrs. Claude Mathews and Mrs. Cabell Grey, who served wine and fruit cake. Misses Louise Nugent, May Foster, Marguerite Tower, Sallie West, Jackson, Isabel Scott, Mary Prince, Vandyne Runyan served ices in the dining room, where the decorations were in white and green. Mrs. Fred Semple, Mrs. E. L. Adreon, Richard Shapleigh, Thomas K. Skinker and D. L. Brown were also hostesses. Mrs. Grey received her guests in a princess gown of black lace over white, Miss Cabell was in a girlish gown of soft white silk. She carried an armful of Killarney roses and ferns. Some of the guests present were: Mmes. George K. Tower, Paul Bakewell, S. S. Blackwell, W. B. Anderson, H. E. Bridge, Shreve Carter, Richard Barret, J. V. S. Barret, Dwight Treadway, Goodman King, George L. Edwards, J. Will Boyd, Bernard Farrar, Edwin Harrison, John W. Harrison, Wallace Delafield, Will Brown, C. McKinley, Anderson Grain, James Hagerman, Berkley Jones, F. N. Judson, Oscar Johnson, D. R. Calhoun, Will Nichols, W. G. Chappell, J. A. Carpenter, Logan Tompkins, Archie Douglas, Arthur Garrison, Eleanor Clubb, Saunders Norvell, Thos. McPheeters, Ashley Scott, Edward G. Tutt, William H. Mason, Ezra Linley, H. B. Miltenberger, John T. Davis, D. M. Houser, Geo. Hobblitzelle, Silas B. Russell, C. D. Portis, Franklin Ferris, Albert Fowler, J. D. Hopkins, D. A. January, Francis Lane, Robert Kaime, Warwick Hough, J. D. P. Francis, E. Mallinckrodt, Wm. Bagnell, Dan C. Nugent, Alex Rust, Cambel Smith, Ellsworth Smith, Hiester Clymer, Dent Tutt, Simeon Ray, W. G. Boyd, B. Clark; Misses Florence Harrison, Marian Lewis, Lucille Campbell, Elsa Blackwell, Sproule, White, Edwina Tutt, Marguerite Mellier, Mamie Tutt, Nellie Drake, Bertha Skinker, Isabel Skinker.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Niemeyer, who have been making their home in New York and Mexico since their marriage, have returned to St. Louis to live. Mrs. Niemeyer was before her marriage Miss Margaret Post.

On account of the recent death of Mrs. Trowbridge, invitations to the buffet luncheon to have been given by Mrs. Wells, for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Erastus Wells, Tuesday, have been recalled.

Mrs. Saunders Norvell has issued invitations for a French tea she will give at her Cabanne home, Dec. 15.

Mrs. Samuel C. Davis will entertain at dinner at the St. Louis Country Club Friday evening. Mrs. Davis will have as her guests of honor Miss Alice Morton and Miss Whitney of Louisville, Ky., who is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Prewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Everet W. Pattison will entertain Friday evening at the St. Louis Woman's Club. Mrs. Pattison will give a talk on the Orient, illustrated with stereopticon views. Mr. and Mrs. Pattison spent the past summer traveling in the Orient.

Cards have been issued announcing the marriage of Miss Winnifred Gertrude Chaney and Allan Beaumont Merritt Dec. 1. The announcement was a great surprise to their many friends.

Garland's GREAT ALTERATION SALE

Begins Tomorrow--Friday

FOR many years our business has been too great for our selling space and at last the opportunity to obtain more room has presented itself. On January 1st we will begin to demolish the adjoining bulding, now occupied by the Reid Shoe Co., and later a large and handsome fireproof structure will be erected and connected with our present quarters; but to enable the workmen to do this a temporary wall must be built on all floors the entire length of the building, consequently we must give up three feet more of our already crowded selling room. This necessarily compels us to sacrifice practically our

Entire Stock at One-Half Price and Less.

We have but 20 days more in which to get ready for the tearing-down of our north wall (which now separates the two buildings), this forces us to make radical reductions to clear these goods quickly and thus make room for the many mechanics and laborers. The following items will attempt to show that this great alteration sale spells for you **ECONOMY.**

Mail and Phone Orders Filled.



Suits and Costumes

Women's Tailor-made Suits with jaunty jacket, satin lined; $12 values priced at $6.00.

Women's Tailor-made Suits with satin lined jacket; regular $15 qualities, at $7.50.

Women's Tailor-made Suits, neatly trimmed and of extra good materials; $22 grade, $13.50.

Women's Tailor-made Suits in this season's latest styles; $30 values, $15.00.

Excellent quality Women's Velvet Suits; regular $35 kind priced at $21.50.

Women's Demi Costumes, copies of the more expensive kind; $25 values, $12.50.

Women's Silk Jumper Suits in the usual $25 grade; Alteration Sale Price, $12.50.

$50 Women's Handsome Broadcloth Suits, Alteration Sale, priced at only $30.00.

$60 Excellent Quality Broadcloth Suits, Alteration Sale, priced at only $40.00.

Fur Scarfs and Muffs

Genuine Natural Mink Muff, $30 values, at $15.

Genuine Natural Mink Scarfs, $30 values, at $15.

Genuine Natural Siberian Squirrel $9 Muffs, $5.

Genuine Natural Siberian Squirrel $9 Scarfs, $5.

Genuine Natural River Mink Muffs, $6 kind, priced at only $2.98.

Genuine Natural River Mink Scarfs, $6 kind, priced at only $2.98.

Dyed Marten Muffs; regularly $8, priced at $5.75

Dyed Marten Long Boas, sold regularly at $9, priced at only $6.00.

Genuine Sable Fur Muff, $15 values, at only $8.50

Genuine Sable Fur Scarf, $17.50 values, Alteration Sale Price only $9.50.

Coats and Jackets

Women's and Misses' 50-inch Long Coats, made of wool mixtures; $6 values, $2.98

Women's and Misses' 50-inch Long Coats, made of extra good materials; $7 values, $3.75.

Women's and Misses' fancy wool plaid Coats, in the regular $8.50 quality, at only $5.00.

All Satin lined Women's and Misses' 50-inch long Coats, good quality broadcloth; $15 values, $10.00.

Women's 50-inch Broadtail Velvet Coats, all satin lined; regular $23.50 grade, $15.00.

Tight-fitting Women's Broadcloth Coats, all satin lined, 50 inches long, $22.50 kind, $15.00.

Women's Jaunty Short Velvet Coats and Blouse Jackets; $30 values, at $19.75.

Handsome Evening Coats; regular $30 grade, $15.

Women's Evening Coats, $45 value priced at $25.

Skirts and Waists

Women's black taffeta $3 Silk Waists at $1.75.

Women's black taffeta $4 Silk Waists at $2.59.

Women's wool plaid Waists, $4.50 kind, $2.50.

Women's Walking Skirts, $3 kind, at only, $1.75.

Women's regular $5 Walking Skirts at $2.69.

Women's Panama Walking Skirts, $6 values, $3.75.

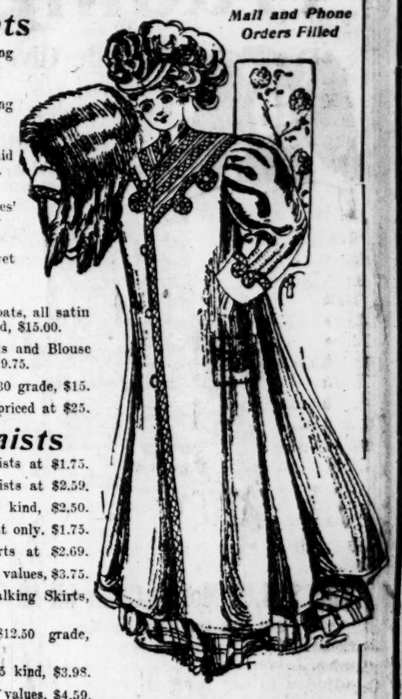
Women's regular $7.50 Panama Walking Skirts, priced at only $4.25.

Imported Voile Walking Skirts, $12.50 grade, priced at only $8.50.

Excellent quality Silk Petticoats, $5 kind, $3.98.

Long and full Silk Petticoats, $7.50 values, $4.59.

Mail and Phone Orders Filled



Infants' and Children's Wear -- Corsets and Undermuslins

$4 Coats, $1.98—Large assortment of Children's Coats of zibeline and crushed velvets, in sizes 1 to 14 years; regular $4 values; in this great alteration sale, Friday and Saturday, Alteration Sale Price, only..... **$1.98**

$1.50 Corsets, 79c—R. & G., C. B., Warner's, American Lady and Kabo Corsets, in high and medium bust; long or short hip, made with hose supporters; broken sizes in white, gray and black; $1.50 values, priced at. **79c**

$3.50 and $5 Corsets $1.98—"Amorita" Corsets, of silk brocade; La Greque, in broken sizes; Nemo, self-reducing, in black and gray only; American Lady and Kabo, made with extra heavy hose supporters; $3.50 and $5 values at only. **$1.98**

$8.50 Coats, $4.98—A great assortment of Children's Coats, made of cheviot, fancy mixtures, kerseys and bearskin; all the latest shades and styles; absolute $8.50 grades, in this great Alteration Sale, only!..... **$4.98**

$20 Coats, $10— Children's Curly Lamb, Broadtail, Fine Kersey and Moleskin Coats made with fur collar and cuffs; Coats worth up to $20.00, in this great Alteration Sale, only..... **$10**

Flannelette Gowns, 50c—Women's neatly made Gowns of extra heavy flannelette, in pretty stripes and all white, in all sizes; the regular $1.00 grade, as we need room, in this Alteration Sale they are priced at.. **50c**

$5 Coats, $2.95—Children's bearskin, moleskin, Astrakhan and fancy mixture Coats; made in this season's most wanted styles; regular $5.00 values; Friday and Saturday, in this great Alteration Sale, only..... **$2.95**

Bathrobes and Dressing Sacques. Bath and Lounging Robes, made of excellent quality eiderdown, in red, gray, light blue and pink; Sacques of challies and silk, neatly trimmed; regular $6.50 values, at only.. **$2.98**

Silk Kimonos— Women's Beautiful Silk Kimonos, full length, in a variety of pretty Japanese colors and designs; this would make a most appropriate Xmas gift, especially when $7.50 values; Friday and Saturday priced at only. **$4.50**

Thomas W. Garland

BROADWAY, NEAR LOCUST.

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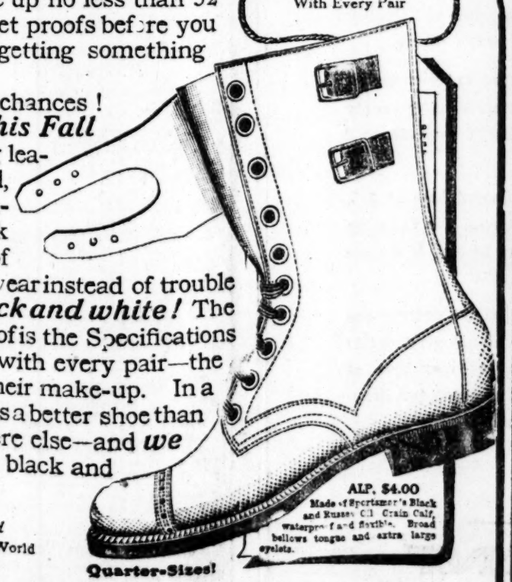
Don't Take Any Sort of Substitute for Honest Materials in Your Shoes—Make the Shoe-Man *SHOW* You.

Shoe materials have gone up no less than 52 per cent., and if you don't get proofs before you buy you take chances of getting something less than you pay for!

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$25.00 Ladies' Cloaks $12.50
$35.00 Ladies' Cloaks $17.50
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$6.00 Silk Waist $2.98
$8.00 Silk Waist $3.98
$10.00 Silk Waist $4.98

SHOOTS DIVORCED WIFE, KILLS SELF

Tragedy at Brookfield Follows Woman's Departure From Dance With Man.

BROOKFIELD, Mo., Dec. 6.—While returning from a dance at the home of John Cotter, in the suburbs of Brookfield, early Tuesday, Mrs. Mattie Sprague, 23 years old, was shot three times by her former husband, John Sprague, who then fired a shot into his own brain, killing himself instantly. Mrs. Sprague is in a critical condition.

The couple were divorced nine months ago, but were reconciled recently and were keeping house again. They quarreled again Sunday and Monday offered their furniture for sale.

Cotter gave a dance at his home Tuesday night and both Mr. and Mrs. Sprague were present. Shortly after midnight Mrs. Sprague departed with John Pearler and daughter, with whom she intended to spend the night.

Sprague joined the party at the door and was granted permission to accompany his wife to the Pearler home. Pearler and his daughter were a short distance in advance of the Spragues, when they were startled by a scream from Mrs. Sprague. Turning, they saw Sprague with one arm around his wife's neck, holding a revolver in his other hand.

Sprague fired three times, all of the bullets taking effect. One struck her glancingly on the forehead, the second hitting her hand and the third piercing her breast.

Sprague then fired a shot at Pearler and his daughter, but the ball went wide. He next turned the revolver on himself and sent a bullet into his brain and fell across the body of Mrs. Sprague.

Hearing the shots, the guests came running out. Both Sprague and his wife were carried into the house and a physician summoned. The doctors have but little hope of Mrs. Sprague's recovery.

ALASKA DELEGATE HUSTLER.

Democrat Has Many Bills for the Territory.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—Frank Hyman Waskey, the first delegate to the House of Representatives from Alaska, is a Democrat and comes from Nome. He is a clean-cut, broad-shouldered young man, standing six feet in height, and is energetic in mining. He was sworn in on the first day of the present session.

Mr. Waskey is a Democrat, but was indorsed by some of the Republicans, and was opposed by another Democrat, who also had a Republican indorsement. Party lines were not observed in the election. Mr. Waskey was born at Lake City, Wabash County, Minn., April 29, 1875, and is a graduate of the Minneapolis High School. He went to Alaska in February, 1898, and staked out a claim. He succeeded and now devotes his entire time to his mining interests when not serving his territory here. He was married in 1904 to Miss Edna Blodgett of Ballard, King County, Wash. He was nominated on the Alaska ticket and received 4849 votes to 2332 for C. D. Mulvane, Republican; 1572 for A. P. Swineford, Democrat, and 208 scattering. Mr. Waskey has a number of bills relating to Alaska which he wants passed, and because of his wide knowledge it is likely that the House will take up many of them at this session.

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DRINKS HIMSELF TO DEATH.

Tube Attached to Whisky Barrel Near His Hand.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—On the lips of a man who was found dead last night in the cellar of a saloon at 728 East 167th street lingered an expression which in life would have been described as a smile of perfect content. It was apparent that from his hand had dropped a rubber tube, one end of which still lingered in the bunghole of a barrel filled with whisky.

Proprietor John Molloy, who discovered the body, said that the aspect of the scene tempered the shock which he might otherwise have experienced. He summoned the Coroner, who said "alcoholism" when he viewed the body. It was identified as that of John Mellen, a homeless derelict.

Be sure and use Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for your children while teething.

COST OF LIVING GROWING.

Statistics Show Marked Advance for November.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Figures giving the average cost of living on Dec. 1, compiled by R. G. Dun & Co., show that there has been a marked advance in prices as compared with Nov. 1, when it reached a high-water mark.

In the lapse of one month the cost of living has advanced from $106.68 to $108.11, reached on Dec. 1. The cost of commodities is the highest since February, 1884.

Los Angeles Nonpartisan.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 5.—Arthur C. Harper, Democratic nominee, Tuesday was elected Mayor of Los Angeles by a plurality of 2120 over Lee C. Gates, nonpartisan candidate. Dr. Walter Lindley, Republican, was third in the race. Stanley B. Wilson, the municipal ownership candidate, received only a slight vote. The City Council will stand five Republicans and four nonpartisans. All of the remainder of the city offices are filled by nonpartisan candidates. The nonpartisans claim a substantial victory in that they have elected 15 out of 22 offices of the municipality.

Drainage Congress Invited.

A movement was made Wednesday to bring the next meeting of the national drainage conference now in session in Oklahoma City to St. Louis. The move was made at the instance of Tom L. Cannon, secretary of the National Irrigation Association. The Business Men's League, Merchants' Exchange, Interstate Merchants' Association and the St. Louis Manufacturers' Association joined in a telegram Wednesday to be sent to the National Drainage Congress.

Joyner Succeeds Woodward.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 5.—At the biennial municipal election W. R. Joyner was chosen to succeed Mayor James Woodward. He is widely known, having been president of the International Association of Fire Engineers. The Democrats had no opposition.

Would Enjoin Telephoning.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 6.—Mrs. Eleanor Humphrey wants the court to enjoin her husband from calling her to the telephone and annoying her. She says that his abuse drove her away from their home, and now that he cannot personally vent his spleen against her he calls her by telephone and tells her how little he thinks of her. Mrs. Humphrey also asks for a divorce.

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$25.00 Women's Suits $12.50

VELVET SUITS

$35.00 Velvet Suits $16.50
$40.00 Velvet Suits $20.00

VELVET COATS

$30.00 Velvet Jackets $15.00
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In fancy plaids and mixtures.

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$15.00 Fancy Plaid Coats $7.50
$20.00 Fancy Plaid Coats $10.00

Fur Jackets

$35.00 Fur Jackets $18.50
$39.50 Fur Jackets $28.50
$45.00 Fur Jackets $32.50
$57.50 Fur Jackets $42.50

Fur Scarfs and Muffs

$2.50 Electric Seal Scarfs, $1.25
$5.00 River Mink Scarfs .. $2.98
$7.50 Brown Coney Boas, $4.50
$7.50 Isabella Fox Boas .. $4.98
$15.00 Isabella Fox Boas .. $9.50
$10.00 Squirrel Throw $4.98
$12.50 Squirrel Muffs $5.98
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$3.50 and $5.00 Lingerie Waists $2.50

Silk Waists

One lot of odds and ends, slightly soiled, black and white and colored Waists—up to $5.00. ..... $1.75
$5.00 Silk Taffeta Waists $2.98
$6.50 Silk Taffeta Waists $3.98
$7.50 Silk Taffeta Waists $4.98

WALKING SKIRTS

One lot of odds and ends in Walking Skirts, black and fancy mixtures — worth up to $5.00 ..... $1.98
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$7.50 Walking Skirts $4.50
$10.00 Walking Skirts $5.00
$12.50 Walking Skirts $6.98

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Oak Pedestal Dining Table, 6 ft. long; have been selling at $18; cut to $9.60
Parlor Rockers, brace arm, large and roomy, oak or mahogany finish $2.35
Handsome Mahogany Three-Piece Parlor Suits, covered in panne plush; the very latest in upholstering; worth from $50 to $45; only $24.50
Oak Sideboards, French plate glass, good finish, excellent workmanship. A bargain at $20.00, but cheap at $12.40
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Center Tables, 24-inch top, oak or mahogany finish $1.10
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Mahogany Music Cabinets, large and roomy $5.40

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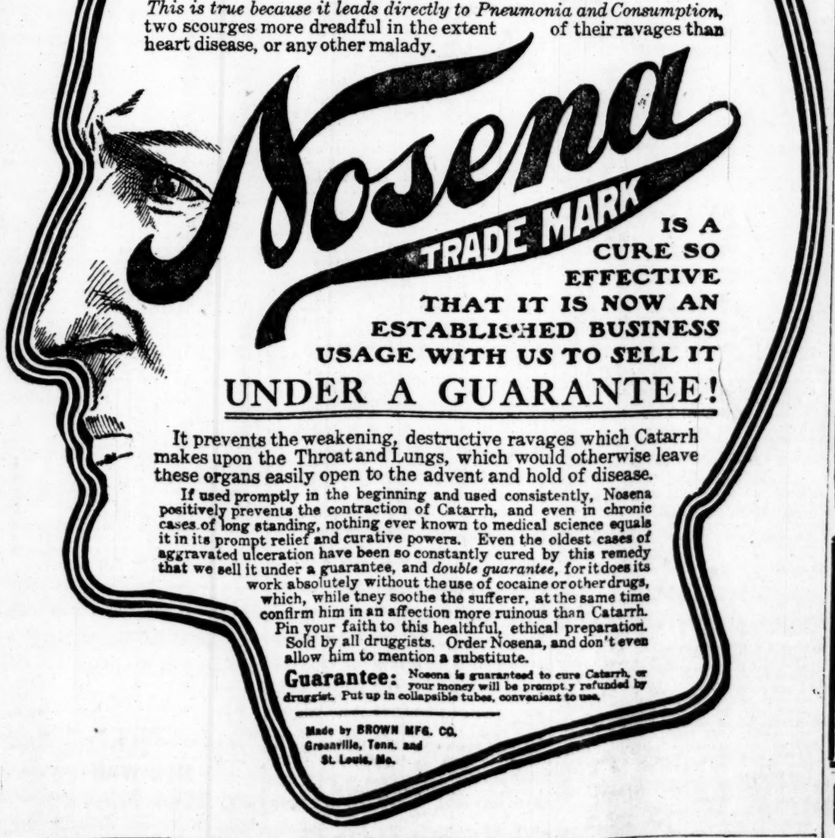
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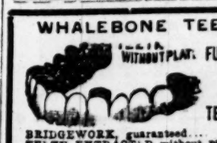
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Birth and Lodge Notices, each...25c
Engagements, Marriages, Death Notices, each $1.00
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DEATHS.

BRANDT—On Thursday, Dec. 6, at 2:40 a. m., Leona Brandt, beloved daughter of Julius and Lulu Brandt (nee Carrico), and our dear sister, after a brief illness, at the age of 4 months.
Funeral Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 5700 North Broadway. Friends invited to attend.

BUSSMEYER—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 4, 1906, at 3:20 p. m., William Bussmeyer, dearly beloved husband of Wilhelmina Bussmeyer (nee Beckmann), and dear father of Lena Dannermann, after a short illness, at the age of 65 years 8 months and 7 days.
Funeral from family residence, 2413 North Nineteenth street, Friday, Dec. 7, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

BUTLER—Entered into rest Thursday, Dec. 6, at 2:30 a. m., Richard J. Butler, beloved husband of Catherine Butler (nee Madden) and beloved father of Margaret Butler. Residence, 1520 North Spring avenue.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

CANNON—At St. John's Hospital, on Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m., Patrick Cannon, aged 63 years.
Funeral will take place from funeral rooms of Cullen & Kelly, 2735 Cass avenue, to Calvary Cemetery.

CARLE—Mrs. Katherine Carle (nee Hentricks) wife of the late August Carle and a former resident of St. Louis, Mo., died at Newkirk, O. T., on Sunday, Dec. 2, 1906, after a short illness. The deceased is survived by a family of three small children and also numerous relatives and friends residing at St. Louis, Mo.

CARROLL—On Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at the family residence, 4373 Delmar boulevard, Margaret A. Carroll.
Funeral from the New Cathedral Chapel, on Friday, Dec. 7, at 9 a. m. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

COLLINS—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at 12:30 p. m., Jerry Collins, dearly beloved son of Margaret Collins (nee Lucy) and the late Jeremiah Collins, and beloved brother of Belle, Mollie and Dennis Collins and the late Mrs. Morgan.
Due notice of funeral will be given, from family residence, 2627 Dickson street.

COLLINS—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at 5 a. m., at Jewish hospital, Philip F. Collins, dearly beloved husband of Mrs. Rose Collins and father of Oliver and Philip Collins, after a short illness, in his 45th year.
Funeral from Lynch Undertaking Co., 3552 Olive street, Friday, Dec. 7, at 9 a. m. to St. Francis Xavier's Church, Grand and Lindell avenues, thence to Calvary Cemetery.
St. Paul (Minn.) and Omaha (Neb.) papers please copy.

COMER—Entered into rest Wednesday, Dec. 5, at 7:05 p. m., Mary Comer (nee Galligan), beloved mother of Helen Comer and sister of Mrs. Michael Gallagher, Mrs. George Berdeaux and Lottie Galligan.
Funeral will take place from Donnely's funeral rooms, 1010 North Twenty-first street, on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2 p. m., to St. Theresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.
Deceased was a member of P. H. C., Council No. 105.

DOTZMAN—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 5, at 11:15 p. m., Josephine Dotzman (nee Hoffman), beloved wife of Dominic Dotzman and mother of Ervin and Raymond Dotzman, aged 25 years and 9 months.
Funeral wil ltake place from residence, 1317 Warren street, on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 1 p. m., at St. Liborious' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

FISCHER—Entered into rest Wednesday, Dec. 5, at 1:30 a. m., after a lingering illness, at the age of 64 years 4 months, Hermann Fischer, beloved husband of Marie Fischer (nee Arcularius), and dear father of Rudolf, Hedwig, Oscar, Walter, Helen, Paula and Martha Fischer.
Funeral from family residence, 4239 Cook avenue, Friday, Dec. 7, at 2 p. m., to St. Peter's Cemetery. Interment private.

HANNEMANN—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 4, 1906, at 5:45 p. m., Lena Hannemann, dearly beloved mother of Minnie Deuber (nee Hannemann), and Carrie Eidel (nee Hannemann), and our dear grandmother, great-grandmother and mother-in-law, after a lingering illness, in her 84th year.
Funeral from family residence, 2504 Dodier street, Friday, Dec. 7, at 1:30 p. m.

HOGAN—Entered into rest Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at 1 p. m., Mary Hogan (nee Welsh), beloved wife of the late William Hogan, and dear mother of Marie and Willie Hogan, and daughter of Thomas and Katherine Welsh, and sister of Thomas and Patrick Welsh.
The funeral will take place on Friday, Dec. 7, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 4652 Farlin avenue, to Holy Rosary Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

HOUSER—Fred W. Houser, on Thursday, Dec. 6, at 7:25 a. m., beloved husband of Mary E. Houser, father of William D. Houser, and brother of Mrs. Louise Clayton.
Due notice of funeral will be given later.

ICHTERTZ—On Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at 10:45 p. m., John Ichtertz, beloved father of John M. Ichtertz, at the age of 84 years 2 months 10 days.
Funeral will take place from the residence of his son, 18..A Goode avenue, Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2 p. m. (5)

KASSEBAUM—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 4, 1906, 8:45 p. m., Henry Kassebaum, beloved husband of Louise Kassebaum (nee Hardaway) and our beloved father. Remains at 3208 Barrett street.
Funeral from Salem M. E. Church, Page and Pendleton avenues, Friday, Dec. 7, 1:30 p. m. Interment at Salem Cemetery. (4)

KLIE—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 6, 1906, at 9:10 o'clock a. m., William Klie Jr., beloved husband of Annie Klie and son of William Klie; brother of Harry and Walter Klie, Mrs. Otto Ziesse and Mrs. Joseph Monroe.
Funeral will take place from the late residence, 1008 North Jefferson avenue, on Sunday, Dec. 9, at 2 o'clock p. m., to St. Peter's Cemetery.
Friends are respectfully invited.

KRUDWIG—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 5, at 7:30 p. m., Edmund George Krudwig, beloved son of Henry L. and Helena Krudwig (nee Elmer), at the age of 8 months and 7 days.
Funeral from family residence, 1832 South Tenth street, on Friday, Dec. 7, at 2 p. m.

LOEB—At Van Buren, Ark., Dec. 5, 1906, Bertha Loeb, beloved wife of Bernard Loeb, and mother of Nettie Mayer, Hanan W., Alex, Isidore, Clarence, Leon and Virgil Loeb.
Funeral at Columbus, Mo., Dec. 7.

DEATHS.

LUNN—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m., James Lunn, beloved brother of John and Thomas Lunn.
Funeral will take place from the residence of his brother, John Lunn, 4621 Sacramento avenue, on Friday, Dec. 7, at 2 o'clock p. m., to Holy Rosary Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.

MULLEN—Entered into rest Dec. 5 at 7:45 p. m., Bridget Mullen, beloved mother of Mrs. Annie Fries (nee Mullen).
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 409 South Fifteenth street, on Friday, Dec. 7, at 1:30 p. m., to St. John's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of the family invited to attend.

RAYMOND—Entered into rest Tuesday Dec. 5, at 4 o'clock a. m., Margaret Raymond, beloved mother of Mrs. John Swimmer, Mrs. John Garrow, Frank Raymond and William Lincoln, and our dear grandmother.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1615 Olive street, on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2 o'clock p. m., to Calvary Cemetery.
Friends are respectfully invited.

REDERER—Lillie Rederer, dearly beloved daughter of Adolph and Fannie Rederer (nee Ashner), at the age of 24 years and 2 months.
Funeral from residence, 1608 South Tenth street, on Friday, Dec. 7, at 1 p. m. Interment private.

SCHOENE—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at 8:30 a. m., Paul Schoene, beloved son of Carl and Anna Schoene, and our dear brother, after a lingering illness, at the age of 20 years and 5 days.
Funeral will take place on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 1927 Burd avenue, to Bethany Cemetery.

TAYLOR—Entered into rest Tuesday, Dec. 4, 1906, at 12:40 p. m., Robert J. Taylor, beloved husband of Addie Taylor (nee Engel), and brother of Charles A. and Samuel W. Taylor, after a short illness, at the age of 33 years.
Funeral from family residence, 4246 Pleasant street, to St. John's Cemetery, Friday, Dec. 7, at 1:30 p. m.

THIEMANN—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, after a long illness, Charles A. Thiemann, the beloved husband of Barbara Thiemann (nee Damann), the father of Charles J. Thiemann, Josephine Thiemann (nee Marschall), daughter-in-law, at the age of 72 years 10 months.
Funeral Friday, Dec. 7, at 2 p. m., from residence, 2732 Gravois avenue, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.
Deceased was a member of M. M. B. A. and Herman's Sons.

YOUNG—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 6, 1906, at 3:30 a. m., after a lingering illness, Chas. Young, beloved brother of Catherina Fey (nee Young), Paul Young, Christena Schaaf (nee Young) Lizzie Andrea (nee Young), and our dear uncle and brother-in-law, at the age of 61 years.
Funeral Sunday, Dec. 9, at 1:30 p. m., from residence of his sister, Christena Schaaf, 2357 Menard street, to Assumption Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

WILLSON—George W. Willson, husband of the late Ellen Willson (nee Beatty), father of Mrs. Clara Cable, brother of John Willson and uncle of Mrs. Selma Hedwen (nee Willson), aged 77 years, on Tuesday, Dec. 4, at 4:30 p. m.
Funeral from residence, Bellas road, north of Manchester road, Des Peres, Mo., Friday, Dec. 7, at 9 a. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery.
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Margaret Raymond, 58, 1615 Olive; asthma.
August Thieman, 74, 2732 Gravois; lung disease.
G. Leber, 78, 406 Blase; old age.
Theresa Senka, 36, 2620 Lafayette; mitral insufficiency.
James Lane, 56, 2209 Papin; nephritis.
Geo. Shrader, 63, 103 N. Channing; pneumonia.
Hewitt Pope, 36, 715 Park; phthisis.
A. M. Howard, 46, 1938 Papin; pneumonia.

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A. and B. Graber, 1208 N. 7th; boy.
W. and P. Bechtold, 2807 Meramec; boy.
J. and M. Ackerman, 6312 Elm; boy.
G. and A. Augustin, 3458 S. Jefferson; boy.
R. and L. Nance, 4402 N. 20th; girl.
J. and A. Manderfeld, St. Louis; girl.
J. and G. Murphy, 3520 Cozens; girl.
J. and M. Hogan, 3807 Labadie; girl.
J. and M. Hoffman, 4286 Farlin; girl.
H. and L. Hartman, 3422 Alberta; girl.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meting of the stockholders of the Hickman Investment Co. will be held at 4516 Cottage av., in the City of St. Louis, on Dec. 22, 1906, at 8 o'clock p. m., then and there to elect a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. B. A. HICKMAN, President.
RUTH F. HICKMAN, Sec. and Treas.
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 6, 1906.

Lost and Found

IF YOU LOSE ANYTHING—Advertise it here. It will be returned to you if an honest person finds it. Remarkable recoveries are brought about every day through this column. All druggists receive Want Ads for the Post-Dispatch at office rates.
IF YOU FIND ANYTHING—Bring it to the Post-Dispatch Lost and Found Bureau, 210-212 North Broadway. Get a claim check for it. Have it advertised. Reclaim it if the owner does not.
THE LAW—People who find lost articles are interested in knowing that the State law (section 8475 to 8489, Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1899) is strict in requiring them to seek the owners through advertisement and otherwise, and that a failure to do so involves a severe penalty if same can be proven.

BRACELET—Lost, on Monday, old-fashioned gold clasp bracelet; black enameled figures. Return to 4922 Washington. Reward.
BROOCH—Lost, diamond brooch, Wednesday, between Garrison and downtown; liberal reward. 719 N. Garrison, phone Bomont 649.
DIAMOND RING—Lost, diamond ring, on Easton av. car or on Clara av.; liberal reward. Miss Alexander, 1433 Temple pl.
DOG—Lost, Dec. 3, 3-months-old spaniel. Please return to 4519 N. 19th st., reward.
DOG—Lost, fox-terrier, long tail, license 17,-187; good reward. 720½ N. Compton.
DOG—Lost, female fox-terrier, white body, tan face and ears; name Nellie; reward. 4231 N. 11th st.
DOG—Strayed Thursday, Nov. 15, Scotch collie, reddish brown, 4 white feet, white breast and collar; answers to name of "Col;" liberal reward for his return or information leading to his recovery and no questions asked. 4481 Maryland phone Forest 7307. (7)
ENVELOPE—Lost, envelope, containing pension papers and check addressed Sadie E. Hobbs, 1662 N. Euclid av. Return to above address and be rewarded.
GLASSES—Lost, pair of glasses; Eggert & Fisher on case; reward. 6210 Lenox av.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST.

HANDBAG—Lost; containing lady's gold watch, pocketbook containing money, keys, letters and handkerchief with name on, on Delmar car going west, 6:45 p. m. Tuesday; liberal reward if returned to Mrs. C. H. Cruckneli, 5858 Clemens, or phone Kinloch Delmar 1546L or Bell Forest 6164. (6)
MONEY—Lost, three bills, together, downtown, last week; liberal reward. Ad. O 81, Post-Dispatch. (6)
MONEY—Lost, cheesecloth rag containing money; can describe; Saturday night, Broadway. Finder please return, receive reward. 12½ N. 3d st.
NECKLACE—Lost, with fine bones and photograph, on Lee av. car, or on Easton car. Return to grocery, s. e. cor. Blair and North Market; receive reward.
POCKETBOOK—Lost, pocketbook, with four checks and money. Blue Ribbon Remedy Co., 2832A Victor st.
POCKETBOOK—Lost; containing money and pawn ticket. Return and receive reward. Mrs. Farrell, 812 Market st.
POCKETBOOK—Lost, Nov. 28, at 7th and Olive, pocketbook containing paper and currency; name and address in book. Please return and receive liberal reward.
PUP—Lost, male Scotch collie pup, in neighborhood of Walton and Westminster. Reply to Mrs. F. E. Kadleburg, 4624A Westminster pl.
PURSE—Lost, on Easton car Wednesday morning, lady's purse, containing money, trunk checks; reward. 4756 Kennerly.
STICKPIN—Lost, downtown, yesterday, stickpin, with bangle attached; monogram L. F. on one side; name on other. Reward if returned to jewelry store, 2629 Gravois.
UMBRELLA—Lost, lady's blue silk umbrella with silver handle; Grand-Leader and May Co.; good reward. 315 Security bldg.
WATCH—Lost, gold-filled watch, with monogram R. R. D. on case; reward. Ad. H 3, Post-Dispatch.
WATCH CHARM—Lost; $20 gold piece, with monogram "W. J. B." and "1902," in vicinity of Courthouse, 9th and Chestnut or on Cherokee line. Return to W. J. Bartling 909 Chestnut st., and receive liberal reward.

FOUND.

HANDBAG—Found, Monday, handbag. Call Lost and Found Bureau, Post-Dispatch. (5)
PLUSH PIECE OF WORK—Found; painted. Apply 3429 Morgan, pay for ad.

Employment Wanted

MALE.

ADVERTISER—Young man, whose contract expired yesterday, desires position advertising on road; references from last position; reasonable salary. Ad. L 104, Post-Dis. (4)
BARTENDER—Sit. by young man as bartender or assistant bartender. Ad. L 140, Post-Dispatch. (5)
BARTENDER—Sit. by first-class bartender, in or out of city; best of reference. Ad. L 135, Post-Dispatch. (5)
BOOKKEEPER—Competent young man wishes sit. in evening. Ad. H 39, Post-Dispatch.
BOOKKEEPER—Wants position working few hours evenings; many years' experience. Ad. L 112, Post-Dispatch. (4)
BOOKKEEPER—Sit. as bookkeeper; several years' experience; best of references. Ad. P 151, Post-Dispatch. (6)
BOOKKEEPER—Expert, now handling 4000 accounts, ledger and general books for large concern, wants to make a change; will start at $125 a month. Ad. P 184, Post-Dis.
BOOKS opened and closed and kept for small concerns not employing bookkeeper; services reasonable. Ad. L 34, Post-Dispatch.
BUTCHER—Sit by experienced butcher and meatcutter; capable to manage market; best of references. Ad. H 191, Post-Dispatch. (92)
CARPENTER—Sit. wanted; handy on new or repair work. 7315 Ethel, Forest Park Heights. (4)
CARPENTER—Sit. by Joseph B. Young, carpenter and builder, 3116 Washington. Bell, Bomont 2856 L. (3)
CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by colored man as chauffeur; willing to do other work; first-class references. Call or write C. L. L., 3906 Fairfax.
CHEF—French, thoroughly experienced in first class hotels, clubs and restaurants in the East, came West; wishes situation. Ad. H 187, Post-Dispatch. (5)
COLLECTOR—Sit. wanted by young man; willing to accept position or work for outside. Ad. H 41, Post-Dispatch.
COOK—Sit. as first-class head cook; German; in restaurant or hotel, in or out of town. Ad. L 76, Post-Dispatch. (6)
COOK—Sit. by first class cook; hotel, restaurant or clubhouse; refs. Ad. Fruh, 3125 School st.
CORRESPONDENT—Sit. by A1 correspondent, ad writer and office man; result producer; low salary to start. Ad. L 151, P.-D. (4)
CUTTER—Sit. by experienced pants and waist cutter. 916 N. 8th st.
DRUG CLERK—Sit. wanted; registered; city or country; references. Ad. Druggist, 2846 Locust st. (89)
DRUGGIST—Sit. wanted; registered in Illinois. J. C. Halpin, New Hartford, Ill. (1)
DRUGGIST—Relief work wanted by registered druggist for Wednesday, Friday and Sundays. Ad. W 22, Post-Dispatch. (5)
ENGINEER—Sit. by licensed engineer; can do own firing and repairing. Ad. Engineer, 1301 N. 20th st. (5)
ENGINEER—Sit. by experienced licensed engineer; 15 years' experience; can do repairing; best of references. Ad. W 6, P.-D. (4)
FOREMAN—Sit. as general foreman; willing to go any place; two years' experience; best references. Ad. O 6, Post-Dispatch.
HOUSEMAN—Sit. wanted by middle-aged man, as houseman, to drive and do general work. Apply 4 N. 10th st.
MAN—Sit. wanted of any kind by married man. Ad. H 199, Post-Dispatch.
MANAGER—Sit. at first class hotel or restaurant; refs. Ad. H 188, Post-Dispatch. (7)
MAN—Sit. by young man to do night work. Dickson, 3113 Brantner pl.
MAN—Sit. by neat young man in gents' furnishing; employed at present; would like change. 2245A Cass.
MAN—Sit. wanted by elderly married man to rune elevator or any kind of light work. Ad. L 152, Post-Dispatch. (4)
MAN—Young man, office experience, wants trial position, real estate, clerk or salesman. Ad. H 6, Post-Dispatch.
MAN AND WIFE—Sit. as janitor in apartment house or take care of furnaces; handy with tools; good refrences. 3015 Lambdin.
MAN—Colored, wants a few places to attend furnace and steps or driver for delivery wagon. Ad. R. B. Smith, 3109 Olive.
MAN—Young, willing worker, wishes steady work of any kind; references from last employer. Rodier, 2118 Bidle st. (6)
MAN—Sit. by young man; marker or assorter; 1 year's experience. Ad. O 79, Post-Dispatch. (6)
MAN—Sit. with good house 1907, with chance for promotion, by active man, 33 years old; 18 years' practical business experience, 5 years on road; executive ability; good correspondent; references gilt-edge. Ad. H 81, Post-Dispatch. (5)
MAN—Sit. by young man, 30, married, active, well educated; speaks and writes fluently English, French, German and Russian languages; references; security if necessary. Ad. W 153, Post-Dispatch. (4)
PORTER—Sit. by experienced colored porter in barber shop, saloon or office. 2026 Chestnut. S. Warren.
PORTER, ETC.—Wanted, position in grocery store, as porter, care of horses and allround man; experienced. Ad. H 197, P.-D.
PORTER—Sit. by experienced colored man for porter work; best references; good wages. J. W., 709 N. King's highway.
PRINTING FOREMAN—Wants position with first-class house; hustler; can keep presses moving; prefer private plant; best of references. Ad. H 12, Post-Dispatch. (6)
SALESMAN—Sit. as salesman or advertising man; speaks German and English; enjoys large acquaintance; belongs to several fraternal orders; at present employed. Ad. L 197, Post-Dispatch. (4)
SOLICITOR—A1 insurance solicitor wishes position of like nature. Ad. H 7, Post-Dis.
STENOGRAPHER—Experienced young man wants position; preferably with some collecting or selling to do; salary $5[illegible]. Ad. H 42, Post-Dispatch.
STUDENT—Wants board and room for work mornings and evenings, caring for furnace, horses, etc. Ad. H 190, Post-Dispatch.
WAITER—Sit. as waiter or porter or in private family; state wages. Ad. H 194, P.-D.
WAITER—Sit. wanted as head waiter, by an Eastern man; hotel, restaurant or club; first-class man; city references. Ad. L 132, Post-Dispatch. (7)
WATCHMAN—Sit. as night watchman. John Rusan, 2633 Morgan.
WATCHMAN—Young man, 25, wants sit. as night watchman; hotel preferred; references. Ad. L 179, Post-Dispatch. (5)

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. by young lady as bookkeeper; salary moderate. Ad. L 144, P.-D.
BOOKKEEPER—Sit. as assistant bookkeeper by young lady; competent beginner; must have work. Ad. H 61, Post-Dispatch.
BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by young lady as bookkeeper; good penman; one year's experience and excellent references. Ad. H 27, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

CASHIER—Young lady wishes position as cashier and office assistant; experienced. Ad. L 101, Post-Dispatch. (4)
CASHIER—Thoroughly experienced young lady desires sit. as cashier in restaurant or market. Kinloch Central 9598L. 917 N. Channing.
CHAMBERMAID—Sit. wanted by colored girl, with experience. 801 S. 10th st.
COOK—Sit. by first-class colored cook. 2708 Mills.
COOK—Sit. by reliable colored cook. Maria Barnes, 2221 Morgan, rear.
COOK—Sit. by experienced cook, colored, in private family; call or write. 5957 Westminster.
COPYIST—Young lady would like position; can use any machine. Ad. L 148, Post-Dis. (5)
DESIGNER—Experienced lady designer wants position with firm or factory to do any kind of design work. Ad. O 164, Post-Dis. (6)
GIRL—Sit. wanted for general housework. 1506 N. 15th st.
GIRL—Sit. by neat colored girl to assist in housework, age 16. 719 N. 22d st.
GIRL—Sit. by colored girl to do general housework, or go out by the day. 1241 Linden.
GIRL—Young girl wants to assist in general housework; private family; no washing. 3000 Kennerly.
GIRL—Colored neat, experienced, wants position as maid for lady, in store or doctor's office; good reference. Ad. H 5, P.-D.
GIRL—First-class colored girl wants employment with seamstress. Call or write. Mrs. Pettigrew, 4120 Papin st., in rear.
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted, by young widow. Call or write. Mrs. M., 2217 Keokuk. (6)
HOUSEGIRL—Reliable colored girl wishes employment as housegirl or laundry work. Mary Thomas, 707 Clarence.
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by widow as housekeeper, for widower or bachelor; parties without children; city or in country; call or address 4009 Olive st. (4)
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted to take charge of rooming house. Call or write Mrs. M., 2217 Keokuk st. (6)
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by German woman, middle aged; good place for housekeeping. Call 1319 Arsenal st.
HOUSEWOMAN—Sit. by colored lady, general housework; small family. Miss Marshall, 3984 Papin, upstairs.
HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by neat colored girl to do housework or assist with housework. Call or ad. 2604 N. Leffingwell.
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by reliable, middle-aged widow as housekeeper, in widower's or bachelor's home; kind and good cook. Ad. O 107, Post-Dispatch.
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper by refined widow by death, 33 years; no incumbrance, in widower's family or for people employed; thoroughly competent; best references. Ad. L 133, Post-Dispatch. (4)
HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by refined young lady; one who thorfoughly understands housework; good manager; would like position as housekeeper for well-bred elderly genaleman or bachelor; only people of first class address need answer. Ad. L 35, Post-Dispatch. (6)
LADY—Wanted, clerical position by young lady, with one year's experience. Ad. H 52, Post-Dispatch.
LADY—Sit. wanted by young lady of ability, at present employed; one year's experience and excellent recommendations. Ad. H 28, Post-Dispatch.
LADY—Sit. wanted; young lady and child wish employment of any sort to keep body and soul together; capable; destitute. Ad. P 125, Post-Dispatch. (6)
LAUNDRESS, ETC.—Sit. wanted as laundress or cook. 3236 Lawton av.
LAUNDRESS—Wants washing to bring home or go out by the day. Ad. 5467 St. Louis. (2)
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class German laundress, for one day each week. Apply 2847A McNair. (5)
LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants to go out by day or bring washing home; good references. 2108 Franklin av.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored laundress, first 4 days in week; good laundress; call Saturday. 2626 Mills st.
LAUNDRESS—First-class, wants Tuesdays and Wednesdays out. 809 N. 13th upstairs. Mrs. Annie McKeney.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored laundress, Monday and Tuesday. Miss Stevenson; phone Bomont 76[illegible].
LAUNDRESS—Bundle washing wanted to take home; work well done; city references. 3958 Finney av.
LAUNDRESS—First-class, wants to bring home family washing and ironing; city references. 4416A Lucky st.
LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by good reliable colored laundress; steady work first two days. E. Vincent, 1409B Linden. (4)
LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class colored laundress; can do shirts, cuffs and collars; best references. Sarah Brown, 2111 Franklin av., rear. (5)
MATRON—Sit. as matron by neat colored girl, or light housework; call or write. 2622A Stoddard.
NURSE—Sit. by first-class infant's nurse for young or delicate child; city references; call or address. 713 N. Channing.
NURSE—Middle-aged business lady wants permanent home as nurse, companion or light housework; A No. 1 city references. 305 N. Ewing, 2d floor.
SEAMSTRESS—Sit. by seamstress to make ladies' and children's clothes. 2932 Olive.
STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted by lady stenographer; small salary. Ad. L 108, Post-Dispatch. (4)
STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, by competent stenographer, copying to do at home evenings; terms reasonable. Ad. H 58, Post-Dispatch.
STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by young lady stenographer; beginner but competent; must work. Ad. L 122, Post-Dispatch. (5)
WOMAN—Sit. wanted by reliable colored woman for cleaning by the day. 3728 Morgan. (4)
WOMAN—Young woman, reliable and capable, would like employment between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. Phone Lindell 5089.
WOMAN—Sit. by colored woman for general housework, in small family. Call or write, 204 N. Garrison.
WOMAN—With good boy, 14 years, who works, wishes sit. for housework or laundry; $10 per month. 2915 Washington.
WOMAN—Mother's helper will do the odd jobs you have no time to do; will come by the day or week; best of references. Miss Rose Hager, 626A N. Garrison. (5)

Help Wanted

MALE.

BAKER Wtd.—First hand baker, without board, to work alone; good wages. 7308 Manchester av., Maplewood.
BANDSAWYER Wtd.—One experienced bandsawyer. Apply 1441 N. 6th st. (4)
BARBER Wtd.—First-class, colored; one competent to take charge of shop. 4255 Olive. (5)
BARBER Wtd.—Good barber; steady man; no Sunday work. Call at East St. Louis B. S. Co., 802 St. Louis av.
BARBER Wtd.—First-class colored barber, at once; good wages for good man. 4365 Easton av. (5)
BLACKSMITH Wtd.—2623 Elliot av.
BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Experienced; with references. Ad. O 168, Post-Dispatch.
BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Grand-Leader requires the services of a competent bookkeeper; only persons with department store experience need apply. Superintendent's office.
BOY Wtd.—514 Pine st.
BOYS Wtd.—At Foster Bros., 1410 N. 16th. (4)
BOY Wtd.—In drug store. 3826 S. Broadway.
BOYS Wtd.—Bright, 14 to 18 years; light inside work. Room 4, 203 Pine st.
BOY Wtd.—Young boy for delivering packages. Apply at 911 N. 6th st.
BOY Wtd.—Experienced delivery boy in meat market. 4831 Delmar.
BOYS Wtd.—15, for small cabinet work. 2620 N. 15th st.
BOYS Wtd.—Salary $20 and $25 per month. Apply Mo. Dis. Tel. Co., 412 Pine st. (6)
BOY Wtd.—In horseshoeing shop. 2119 N. Broadway.
BOY Wtd.—For office and shop. Peters-Eichler Heating Co., 1503 Chestnut st. (6)
BOY Wtd.—Good boy, at once. Modern Planing Mill Works, 3016 Gravois.
BOY Wtd.—To deliver cigars in city. Wise El Santo Cigar Co., 126 Market st.
BOY AND GIRL Wtd.—Young; to help in flower store; $3 week. Grim & Gorley.
BOY Wtd.—Colored; with good references; must be 14 years old or over. Werner Bros.
BOY Wtd.—About 17, to help in shop and deliver. 910 Pine st.
BOYS Wtd.—Six good tenpin boys, at 22d and Montgomery; good wages. (5)
BOYS Wtd.—14 years and over. Mengel Box Co., Folsom and Lawrence. (8)
BOY Wtd.—Must be 14 years old. Columbia Box Co., 19th and North Market. (6)
BOYS Wtd.—Intelligent boys, between 14 and 15 years old, for wholesale house. Ad. P 5, Post-Dispatch. (6)

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BOY Wtd.—Good boy for general office work, about 16 years. Apply 610 Mermod & Jaccard Bldg.
BOY Wtd.—About 17 years of age, to drive wagon and tack signs; call between 7 and 8 a. m. 215 N. 14th st.
BOYS Wtd.—To learn lasting. Sunlight Factory, 9th and Marion. (8)
BOY Wtd.—White, about 15, as porter for drug store; must have references. 4101 Olive. (6)
BOYS Wtd.—To work in can factory; must be 14 years of age. Brecht B. S. Co., 1210 Mullanphy. (2)
BOY Wtd.—About 18 years old, to do billing and general office work; must write good hand and know how to figure. 305 N. Main.
BOYS Wtd.—For wholesale house, several bright boys, about 15 years old. Apply in own handwriting. Ad. P 6, Post-Dis. (6)
BOY Wtd.—An intelligent boy about 14 years of age for office work; a good educational position. Ad., in own handwriting, H 57, Post-Dispatch.
BRICK MASONS Wtd.—20 brick masons and terra cotta setters on press brick job; wages 60c per hour. Apply Jacob Hoertz, 4th and Market, Louisville, Ky. (3)
BUSBOYS Wtd.—Apply 202 N. 8th st.
BUTCHER Wtd.—Good, allround. Herm. Schreiber, O'Fallon, Ill. (4)
CARPENTERS AND CAR BUILDERS Wtd.—Apply at foot of Utah st. (8)
CARPENTERS Wtd.—Good inside men; no others need apply. Columbia and Clifton. (6)
CARPENTERS Wtd.—Two carpenters. Laclede Fire Brick Mfg. Co., Manchester and Sulphur avs. (4)
CARPENTERS Wtd.—For inside finishing. Apply at 5916 Plymouth av., 8 o'clock, Dec. 7; steady work. E. L. Wagner Const. Co.
CARPENTERS, ETC., Wtd.—Carpenters and car builders. Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill. (8)
CARPENTERS Wtd.—15, for an indefinite period; rate of pay from 25c to 35c an hour. Ad. James Neelon, foreman, care Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., Crystal City, Mo. (1)
CARRIAGE TRIMMER Wtd.—First-class. American Storm Shield Co., 3307 Olive.
CLERK Wtd.—Young man, about 17, to clerk in drug store. 3201 Franklin.
CLERK Wtd.—Grocery and meat market, solicit and deliver; married man; references. Heinzelmann, Kirkwood, Mo. (5)
CLERK Wtd.—Cigar clerk; some experience; aged 18 to 25; nominal salary to start; chance for advancement later. Write, 1475 Ohio, East St. Louis, Ill. (6)
COACHMAN Wtd.—Competent; references required. Call this evening between 5 and 7 or tomorrow morning between 8 and 9, 5225 Lindell bl., between Lake and Union.
COLLECTOR Wtd.—Young man, as collector and to make himself generally useful around office. Ad. H 192, Post-Dispatch.
COMPOSITORS—Pay no attention to advertisements for printers. Strike on. TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION NO. 8. (8)
CUTTER Wtd.—Window glass cutter for a jobbing house; must be a hustler. Glenny Bros. Glass Co., 114 S. 3d st. (8)
CUTTER Wtd.—Assistant, on ladies' muslin underwear. Sterling Mfg. Co., 1419 Olive st., 5th floor.
DRAFTSMAN Wtd.—In surveyor's office; give experience and salary expected. Ad. H 44, Post-Dispatch.
DRIVER Wtd.—For laundry wagon. Century Laundry Co., 4666 Easton.
DRIVER Wtd.—Young man to drive delivery wagon and help in meat market; must have experience. 3415 Olive.
ENGINEER Wtd.—For street roller. Spring and Russell avs. Fruin & Colnon, contractors.
ERRAND BOY Wtd.—115 S. 8th st.
FIREMEN, ETC., Wtd.—Two firemen and two helpers; must be first-class; no others need apply. East St. Louis Cotton Oil Co., National Stockyards, Ill. (6)
GRANITE POLISHER Wtd.—At once; good. 125 S. 4th st.
GROCERY CLERK Wtd.—Experienced; permanent position; good wages. Ad. O 14, P. D.
GROCERY CLERK Wtd.—To take orders and work in store; only first-class young man need answer. Ad. H 10, Post-Dispatch.
HORSESHOER Wtd.—First-class; $3 per day; steady work. 6619-21 Olive st. road; take Suburban cars to De Hodiamont.
HOSTLER Wtd.—Boarding stable. 1907 Locust st.
HOUSEMAN Wtd.—Colored; references required. Nurses' Training School, 1224 Dillon st.
JANITOR—Sit. to tend furnaces by first class janitor. 1209 Walton av.
LABORERS Wtd.—Apply foot of Utah. (8)
LABORERS Wtd.—For street work and quarry work; boarding house if wanted. Fruin-Bambrick Con. Co., 800 Spring av. (8)
LABORERS Wtd.—Fifty laborers, 25c per hour; Bircher st., east of 6300 N. Broadway. Hoffman & Hogan. (4)
LABORERS Wtd.—White; apply Car Wheel Foundry, 2301 Kosciusko street. (8)
LABORERS Wtd.—Colored. Apply Car Wheel Foundry, 2301 Kosciusko street. (8)

LABORERS WANTED.
At new Ely & Walker Bldg., 16th and Washington. JAMES STEWART & CO. (8)

MACHINIST Wtd.—Good machinist, with experience in making tools and dies, in tinware factory. Ad. H 13, Post-Dispatch.
MACHINIST Wtd.—First-class erecting machinist. Metal Trades Association, 202 Victoria Bldg.
MACHINE HANDS Wtd.—First-class carriage woodworking machine hands. McCabe-Powers Carriage Co., 1215 N. Broadway.
MAN Wtd.—Yard man at 304 N. 3d st.
MAN Wtd.—Young; used to machinery. American Steam Laundry Co., 21st and Morgan.
MAN Wtd.—To work around house and yard; references required. 10 Windermere pl. (4)
MAN Wtd.—Young colored man to take care of horses; good wages. 1114 Morrison av.
MAN Wtd.—Young, with two or three years' experience in drug business. Apply 924 Hamilton av.
MAN Wtd.—Allround man for blacksmith and horseshoer. Call at Broadway and State st., Venice, Ill.
MAN Wtd.—Young, to assist receiving clerk, finishing room. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., Hickory and Mississippi.
MAN Wtd.—Young man, familiar with typesetting, for printing department. St. Louis Button Co., 415 Lucas av.
MAN Wtd.—Ambitious young man for mail-order department; good opportunity for right party; prefer one with experience. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., mail-order dept.
MAN Wtd.—A young man, 20 to 21, as clerk and office assistant; must be quick and accurate at figures and can write a good hand. Ad. L 160, Post-Dispatch. (4)
MAN Wtd.—Young man, about 19 years old, who has had some experience on books, to assist bookkeeper; must write a good hand and be accurate with figures; for wholesale house. Ad. H 37, Post-Dispatch. (5)
MEATCUTTER Wtd.—First-class; at once. 2099 S. Vandeventer av.
MEATCUTTER Wtd.—Young man to take orders and assist; must have good references. Ad. H 18, Post-Dispatch.
MEN Wtd.—Young men to learn gray iron molding trade. Ad. N 80, Post-Dis. (8)
MEN Wtd.—Ten, on Mullanphy st., between 23d and 24th. J. Moloney. (4)
MEN Wtd.—Laborers and sledgers at Wicks, Mo.; steady work. Apply 101 Barton. (7)
MEN Wtd.—Colored brick and concrete men; Newstead and Maffitt avs. (8)
MEN Wtd.—Young men to run on railroad train as news agent. 16 S. 18th st.
MEN Wtd.—Four experienced lumber pilers. Huttig Sash and Door Co., 1206 Manchester rd. (4)
MEN Wtd.—Three men to take orders; coffee, tea, groceries; $15 week. 406 Market, room 220. (60)
MEN AND BOYS Wtd.—Young men and boys in printing pressroom; no experience required. 310 Elm st.
MEN, ETC., Wtd.—Men, $2.25 day; teams, 50-foot beds, $1 per load. 10th and Wash. Stiers.
MEN Wtd.—10 men; $2.25 per day; King's highway and St. Louis. W. J. Redmond & Co.

MEN WANTED
Good wages, at St. Louis Lead and Oil Works, Manchester and Sublette. (3)

MEN Wtd.—Able-bodied young men, about 20 years old, for stock department, wholesale house; apply own handwriting. Ad. P 4, Post-Dispatch. (8)
MEN Wtd.—Everywhere; good pay; to distribute circulars, adv. matter, tack signs, etc.; no canvassing. 219 National Adv. Bureau, Chicago.
MEN Wtd.—We want men to travel on the road as special sales managers; only those need apply who have trained commercial business experience in dry goods, clothing and a knowledge of advertising; call at once. Adam Goldman, president and general manager, New York and St. Louis Consolidated Salvage Co., Century Bldg. (8)

HELP WANTED—MALE.

MEN Wtd.—Must be of good address, fluent talkers, well educated and furnish good references; position temporary; work pleasant; good wages; in answering state where you can be reached by telephone. Ad. H 195, Post-Dispatch.
MESSENGERS Wtd.—Men. Apply Mo. Dis. Tel. Co., 214 N. 8th st. (6)
OFFICE BOY Wtd.—15 to 17 years old; write, stating experience and reference; splendid opportunity for boy willing to learn architectural iron business. A. F. M. Wilcox, 18th and Brady sts. East St. Louis.
ORDERLY Wtd.—St. Luke's, 5501 Delmar.
ORGAN BUILDERS Wtd.—Pipe organ builders, inside hands on bench and machine work, outside men, action men. Lyon & Healy, Battle Creek, Mich. (1)
PACKER Wtd.—Experienced packer for wholesale house. Ad. H 36, Post-Dis. (5)
PATTERN MAKER Wtd.—First-class; to leave city. Call at J. W. Wright & Co., 801 N. 2d st. (5)
PHOTOGRAPHER Wtd.—Commercial work; good salary; steady position. Ad. O 116, Post-Dispatch. (5)
PLUMBER Wtd.—Thoroughly first-class U. A. plumber; must be sober and steady; wages $4.50 for eight hours; good job for a good man. Ad. A 189, Post-Dispatch. (6)
POLISHERS Wtd.—Shovel polishers or men to learn shovel polishing. St. Louis Shovel Co., Duncan av. and Sarah st. (9)
PORTER Wtd.—White man, for porter and packer for wholesale clothing; must understand marking. Ad. H 193, Post-Dispatch.
PORTER Wtd.—White; thoroughly experienced; saloon; good position to right man. Ad. L 82, Post-Dispatch.
PRESSFEEDERS Wtd.—Job pressfeeders. Apply August Gast Banknote Co., 21st and Morgan. (4)
PRESSFEEDER Wtd.—First-class job pressfeeder; good wages; steady position. Ad. A 150, Post-Dispatch.
PRESSFEEDER Wtd.—Lithograph pressfeeder. Stephens Litho. and Engr. Co., 2d and Vine. (6)
PRESSHAND Wtd.—Apply at 1714 N. Broadway.
PRINTER Wtd.—At once; $60 month. Corn Products Refining Co., Granite City, Ill. (5)
PRINTERS Wtd.—Lockup and stone man to work in an open shop; none but the best need apply. Greeley Printery, 15th and Pine.
QUARRYMEN Wtd.—And laborers. Glendale quarry, Glendale, Mo.; take Meramec Highland car; steady work. (7)
RAILROAD BLACKSMITH Wtd.—At Chain of Rocks; take Waterworks car at Baden. Fruin & Colnon. (6)
RIP SAWYERS Wtd.—First-class; no others need apply. Columbia Box Co., 19th and North Market. (8)
SHEAR MAN Wtd.—Square shear man. Apply at 1714 N. Broadway.
SHOE REPAIRER Wtd.—A good shoe repairer; steady work; wages $12 per week; must be steady man. Ad. 328 Boonville st., Springfield, Mo. (4)
SHOVELERS Wtd.—At Grand and Gravois, $2.50 per day; money any time. L. Gray.
STEAM DRILLER AND LABORERS Wtd.—At Sinclair Quarry and Construction Co.'s quarries, Vigus. Take Creve Coeur Lake street cars to crossing of Rock Island Railroad tracks and walk to Vigus. (4)
STONECUTTERS Wtd.—Six stonecutters, with tools, at Anheiser-Busch new barley-cleaning house. Apply office, James Stewart & Co. 9th and Pestalozzi.
STRIPPERS Wtd.—Tobacco strippers. F. R. Rice Mercantile Cigar Co., 305 N. 4th. (8)
TEAMSTERS Wtd.—1905 Goode av.; call this evening; $2 per day. F. A. Stiers.
TEAMSTERS Wtd.—To drive company teams and haul brick. Apply Hydraulic Press-Brick Co., Gravois and Chippewa. (4)
TEAMSTER Wtd.—Colored; good wages; steady work; apply 5:45 a. m. tomorrow. 4208 Finney.
TEAMSTERS, ETC. Wtd.—Teamsters and grade men at Chain of Rocks; all winter's work; wages $2, $2.25 per day; take Waterworks car at Baden. Fruin & Colnon. (6)
TEAMS Wtd.—75 teams, with 50-foot beds; can make $5 per day; 3 months' work at northwest corner 16th and Locust; we load yours in two minutes. Jacob Schaefer Wrecking Co. (4)
TEAMSTERS Wtd.—At stable, Spring av. and McRee. E. Whalen.
TINNERS Wtd.—Apply Columbia Can Co., 2d and Madison.
WAGON BOY Wtd.—Bontel, 3571 Olive.

WAGON BOYS Wtd.—$4 per week. Bureau of Information, Wm. Barr D. G. Co.

WANTED—TEAMS.
Teams, wagons and scrapers, at new Ely & Walker Bldg., 16th and Washington. JAMES STEWART & CO. (8)

WATCHMAN Wtd.—Night watchman; must be reliable; state salary, refs., and where last employed. Ad. L 142, Post-Dispatch.

SHOE WORKERS WANTED.

BEADER Wtd.—Welt beader. Apply Roberts, John & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy. (6)
BOYS Wtd.—Experienced, to brush edges. Peters, No. 1, Jefferson and St. Louis.
BOYS Wtd.—To feed heeler. Peters, No. 1, Jefferson and St. Louis.
BOYS Wtd.—To work in lasting room. Peters, No. 1, Jefferson and St. Louis.
CUTTERS Wtd.—Top cutters and trimming cutters. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy. (8)
CUTTERS Wtd.—Trimming cutters on men's work. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (89)
CUTTERS Wtd.—First-class, on fine shoes; steady work to first-class men. Foot, Schulze & Co., St. Paul, Minn. (7)
FAIR STITCHER Wtd.—Blue Ribbon Plant of the Brown Shoe Co., Jefferson and Mullanphy.
MAN Wtd.—To touch up after edge trimming. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy.
MAN Wtd.—To butt welts. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy sts. (6)
OPERATORS Wtd.—On pulling-over machine; welts, heel seat, nail on lasts, man to crown shoes in welts, lasting room and McKay seat nailer. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., Hickory st. factory.
OPERATORS Wtd.—On pulling over machine. Sunlight Factory, 9th and Marion. (8)
SEWER, ETC. Wtd.—McKay sewer and assemblers on men's and women's work. Peters Shoe Co., 12th and North Market. (7)
SHOEWORKERS Wtd.—Puller-over operators and assemblers. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., Mississippi and Hickory.
SHOEWORKERS Wtd.—First-class insole cutters; good pay and steady work. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., Jefferson and Randolph. (4)
SHOEWORKERS Wtd.—Tap trimmer and channel turner on ladies' work. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.
SHOEWORKERS Wtd.—Heel burnisher on Expedite machine; also last puller. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.
SHOESTITCHERS Wtd.—On wax-thread machines and boot siding; operator preferred who can take care of machines; steady work all year and good pay. Apply to Buckingham & Hecht, 26th and Valencia st., San Francisco. (4)
TOUCHER-UP Wtd.—Also boy to put away lasts in lasting room. Goodbar Shoe Co., Vandeventer and Laclede.
TRIMMING CUTTERS Wtd.—On women's work. Peters Shoe Co., 12th and North Market.
VAMPERS Wtd.—Jordon Shoe Co., Belleville, Ill. (6)

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS Wtd.—Either sex; can make $10 per day; new ticket. Olive Studio, 720 Olive. (141)
AGENTS Wtd.—Agents are making $30 weekly easy; investigate this proposition. 2343 Olive, room 15. (7)
AGENTS Wtd.—Sell our soaps, extracts, spices and medicines. Dr. Hoffman Medicine Manufactory. (5)
AGENTS Wtd.—Experienced men and women to sell photo tickets; something entirely new. Genelli, 506 Olive st. (8)
AGENTS Wtd.—Ladies and gentlemen to take orders for photo and pillow tops, any picture reproduced; big profits; greatest selling Xmas novelty; act quick; write at once for samples and particulars. Eclipse Novelty Co., 221 2d av., Dept. A, Minneapolis, Minn. (6)
DISTRIBUTERS Wtd.—Any person to distribute our samples; $20 weekly. "Empire," 92 La Salle st., Chicago, Ill.
LADIES Wtd.—To make sanitary belts; material all cut, ready to sew; $1.20 per doz.; particulars, stamped envelope. Lenox Co., dept. B 47, Chicago.
TICKET SELLERS Wtd.—6 photo ticket sellers; new holiday offer; quick seller; good pay. Call at once. Murillo, 1314 Olive. (8)

PARTNERS WANTED.

PARTNER Wtd.—With small capital, to take half interest and manage manufacturing and jobbing business. Ad. H 38, Post-Dispatch.
PARTNER Wtd.—With $500 for organized theatrical company; guaranteed success; dates all booked; security given. Ad. H 189, Post-Dispatch.
PARTNERS Wtd.—Splendid opening for parties having $150 to $2400 to invest in manufacturing business now forming. Ad. L 155, Post-Dispatch. (4)

TRADE SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

MEN AND BOYS Wtd.—Plumbing, bricklaying, plastering; trades pay $5 to $8 per day; we teach you in 3 mo.; position guaranteed; free catalogue; visitors welcome. Coyne's Trade School, 4973-75 Easton, St. Louis. (8)

LEARN PLUMBING.
Call or write for free catalogue.
ST. LOUIS TRADE SCHOOL, 3964 Olive st. (92)

SALESMEN WANTED.

SALESMAN Wtd.—Young man for established trade; immediately. Ad. L 37, Post-Dis.
SALESMEN Wtd.—A few good salesmen to introduce a new line of staple goods. Century Light Co., 1122 Pine st.
SALESMEN Wtd.—For the road; position will pay $100 per month; bond or A1 references required. 323 Laclede Bldg. (38)
SALESMAN Wtd.—Live, hustling salesman to sell mining stock; good, legitimate proposition. Ad. H 14, Post-Dispatch. (5)
SALESMAN Wtd.—A competent salesman for winter trip South; references required. Jones, 217 N. 6th st., third floor; 10 to 12; 1 to 4.
SALESMAN Wtd.—Experienced traveling salesman for ladies' skirts; salary or commission. Handley Skirt Mfg. Co., 704 Washington av. (80)
SALESMAN Wtd.—To sell odorless disinfectants and take management of this territory. Call at Belcher Hotel, between 7 and 9 evenings.
SALESMEN Wtd.—To sell Dollar Door Springs and patent Corn Poppers; just out; for sample and territory write Middletown Mfg. Co., Middletown, O. (62)
SALESMEN Wtd.—We are making several changes in salesmen between now and Jan 1; we have fine openings for honest, energetic men; road work exclusively. Ad. O 191, Post-Dispatch.
SALESMAN Wtd.—To represent us in St. Louis; to one with acquaintance and carrying kindred line preference will be given; liberal commissions paid promptly. Ad. American Suspender Co., Aurora, Ill. (7)
SALESMEN Wtd.—Traveling men wanting non-interfering side line (entirely novel) to sell to their established trade; each order carrying $5 and more in commissions; write or call on J. B. Clopin, sales manager, 304 Market st. (76)

SALESMEN Wtd.—Silk salesmen of experience; permanent position and good salary to right parties; apply at once. B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO.

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS.

CANVASSERS Wtd.—Experienced girls for canvassing; good wages; dinner and car fare; call after 6 p. m. 1808 Wash.
CANVASSERS Wtd.—4 hustling canvassers to travel; salary and commission; references. Ad. L 103, Post-Dispatch.
SOLICITORS Wtd.—3 experienced lady solicitors; salary $12 per week; permanent. Murillo, 1314 Olive st. (3)
SOLICITORS Wtd.—Experienced; 8 volumes Alexander Dumas, 7 volumes Victor Hugo absolutely free to subscribers of Leslie's Weekly. 220 Benoist Bldg. (4)

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

HOUSEHOLD HELP.

7c a Line.

COOK Wtd.—Apply 4140 McPherson av.
COOK Wtd.—White. Centenary Hospital. 2945 Lawton av.
COOK Wtd.—Good, colored, for boarding house; apply at once, ready for work. 5150 Page.
COOK Wtd.—Good cook; good wages. 6034 W. Cabanne; phone Forest 3206.
COOK Wtd.—Good, plain cook. Apply 2939 Locust st.
COOK Wtd.—Experienced colored cook; no other but first-class need apply; references. Call Thursday and Friday, 4516 McPherson.
COOK Wtd.—Thoroughly reliable and competent person for cooking and first floor work; German preferred; references required. 4355 Washington bl.
COOK Wtd.—Experienced white woman for general housework; no laundry; $20. 4813 Fountain av., one block north of Suburban tracks. (6)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 1440 S. 18th st. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; call at once. 1717 Carr st.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no cooking. 4121 Delmar bl.
GIRL Wtd.—Colored; for general housework. 3331 Washington. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; good wages. 4429 Page bl.
GIRL Wtd.—Young girl for plain housework. 1536 Lafayette.
GIRL Wtd.—Colored, for general housework; family of three. 2037 Wash st.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 922 Manchester.
GIRL Wtd.—Good, for general housework in small family; good wages. 3968 Morgan.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework in family of three. 4943 Washington bl.
GIRL Wtd.—To help care for two small children. 5632 Vernon. Suburban car to Clara.
GIRL Wtd.—Good, for general housework. 2931 Lucas av.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; small family. 4479 Morgan st.
GIRL Wtd.—Young German girl for housework; one living at home. 3538 Shenandoah.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; good wages; no washing. 4118 Maryland.
GIRL Wtd.—For cooking and general work; small family; best wages. 3834 Delmar.
GIRL Wtd.—Good, German, for general housework in small family. 1810 La Salle.
GIRL Wtd.—Good, for general housework; good wages. 5243 Vernon.
GIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for general housework; good wages. 5123 Minerva. (6)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; good wages; light work. 1236 Goodfellow av. (5)
GIRL Wtd.—To assist in general housework; very small family. 5339 Cote Brilliante. (6)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; family of two. 6016 Suburban av.
GIRL Wtd.—To assist with general housework. 1114 S. 10th st.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; $5 week; no washing. 505 S. Broadway.
GIRL Wtd.—For cooking and housework; no washing. 1035 Goodfellow.
GIRL Wtd.—German, for general housework; good home; good wages. 5068 Maple bl.
GIRL Wtd.—Good girl for light housework. Reinfeld, 4328 Cook av.
GIRL Wtd.—German, for general housework in family of three. 4608 Morgan st.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 1312 Monroe.
GIRL Wtd.—To assist in housework. 2758 Arsenal st.
GIRL Wtd.—Good German girl, 16 to 18 years old, assist in housework. 753 Aubert.
GIRL Wtd.—To assist in housework; three in family. 101B Russell av.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; small family, in flat. 4392A McPherson.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; private family. 907 N. Leonard.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework, at once; small family. Mrs. McAuliffe, 1265 Hamilton.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 4325 N. 21st st.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; wages $16. 4853 Fountain. (3)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 2911 Rauschenbach. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—German girl for general housework; 3 in family. 3854 Cleveland. (5)
GIRL Wtd.—Colored; for general housework. 4050 Garfield. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework. 3810 Finney av. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—In private family; no outside work. 4245 McPherson av. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no washing or ironing; family of three. 1837 Lafayette.
GIRL Wtd.—Immediately, good white girl for general housework; two in family. 3138 Olive st.
GIRL Wtd.—Experienced, for general housework; small flat; good wages. 5042A Delmar bl. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—White girl for general housework and cook; small family; best wages. 4947 Parkview pl. Telephone Forest 309. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no washing; small family; go home nights. 5002 Kensington av.
GIRL Wtd.—Competent white girl for general housework; small family; no outside work. 4145 Morgan st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

HOUSEHOLD HELP.

7c a Line.

GIRL Wtd.—For cooking and housework; experienced; no washing; other help. [illegible] Fairmount av.
GIRL Wtd.—Good place for a good girl or woman; small family; no washing. A. Newman, 1303A N. Jefferson.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; small family; good home; flat; good wages. 4713 Vernon.
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no washing; plain cooking; $20; two adults. 3511 Kossuth av.
GIRL Wtd.—To assist in housework in small family; good wages; take [illegible] car. 3409 Wyoming st.
GIRL Wtd.—Young girl, 16 to 18 years old, to help do housework; good home. Call 3709 Connecticut st., first floor.
GIRL Wtd.—Catholic girl for general housework; no laundry; good wages; must bring refs. Ad. H 32, Post-Dispatch. (6)
GIRL Wtd.—For general housework, with or without washing; this afternoon. 4255 Chouteau av.
GIRL Wtd.—Reliable and trustworthy person, speaking French, for light housework and assist with care of children and 9 years old; references required. [illegible] Washington.
HOUSEKEEPER Wtd.—700 N. [illegible] st.
HOUSEKEEPER Wtd.—For small rooming house; give room rent. Apply 1408 Pine.
LADY Wtd.—Young lady to assist morning and evening for board and room. 1126 Whittier, corner Cook.
LAUNDRESS Wtd.—First-class; Friday. Call 2126 Russell av.
LAUNDRESS Wtd.—Friday morning; come ready for work. 5068 Kensington av.
LAUNDRESS Wtd.—White, by the week, for a private family; can go home Saturday evenings; call today or Friday morning between 10 and 12 o'clock at my office, 210 Chestnut st.
NURSE Wtd.—Male nurse; steady employment; bring references. 663 N. Garrison av.
NURSE Wtd.—To take charge of baby. Call after 6 o'clock, 3715 Lindell bl.
NURSE Wtd.—An experienced nurse for children; references required. Apply 4374A West Pine. (4)
NURSEGIRL Wtd.—Some experience; 2 small children. 5632 Vernon. Suburban car to Clara av.
ST. LOUIS SCHOOL OF HOUSEKEEPING—Removed to room 11 Ohio Bldg., Vandeventer and Olive. (7)
WOMAN Wtd.—For general housework. 509 Spruce st.
WOMAN Wtd.—To do general housework; must be fair cook. 1405 Wash st. (3)
WOMAN Wtd.—White, middle-aged, to work in rooming house; no laundry. 2 Pine.
WOMAN Wtd.—German or Polish, for housework. 1013 Selby pl. (4)
WOMAN Wtd.—Married woman to work in rooming house; no objection to child. 1103 Morgan st.

GENERAL FEMALE HELP.

CASHIER Wtd.—Young lady with first-class recommendations; permanent position; one with knowledge of groceries preferred. Ad. H 20, Post-Dispatch.

CASHIERS Wtd.—Also girls for office work; age 16 to 24; apply at Auditor's office, second floor. SCHAPER BROS.

CASH GIRLS Wtd.—Bright girls; must be over 14 years of age; apply to Mr. Ma[illegible], 1st floor. THE MAY CO. (6)

CHAMBERMAID Wtd.—White. Parkhurst apartments, 2.8 N. [illegible]
CHOCOLATE DIPPER Wtd.—Good wages. Finke's Candy Kitchen, 210 Collinsville av., East St. Louis, Ill.
COMPOSITOR Wtd.—Lady, on straight work; steady employment; Fac-Simile Letter Co., 211 N. 7th st.
COOK Wtd.—St. Luke's Hospital. 5501 Delmar bl.
DISHWASHER Wtd.—Experienced woman, at 1108 S. 4th st.
FRAMEMAKERS Wtd.—Experienced wire framemakers. Sylvester C. Judge, 1819 Pine.
GIRL Wtd.—Steady girl to wait dinner table only; every other Sunday off. 8 N. 12th.
GIRLS Wtd.—To wait on table, coffee room; also girl for general housework. 301 S. 4th.
GIRLS Wtd.—Over 14; can make from $4.50 to $12 per week, at Fulton Bag and Burlap Co., 612 S. 7th st.
GIRLS Wtd.—Experience not necessary; steady work and good pay. Ferguson-McKinney suspender factory, 1006 Locust. (6)
GIRLS Wtd.—Over 14 years, to pick nuts; steady work; good pay. Apply 518 N. 2d st. (8)
GIRLS Wtd.—For factory work, 14 to 18 years, steady employment; $4.75 per week to start. Southern Mills, 1428 S. 9th st. (5)
GIRLS Wtd.—Several quick-fingered, industrious girls for folding powders; work permanent. Call 5101 Morgan st.
GIRLS Wtd.—To lace; steady work and good pay; finishing room. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., Hickory and Mississippi.
GIRLS Wtd.—For factory work, 14 to 18 years, steady employment; $4.75 per week to start. Standard Mills 1026 S. 11th st. (5)
GIRL Wtd.—To stick up transfer, who has had experience. Buxton & Skinner Stationery Co. (4)
GIRLS Wtd.—Colored; for light factory work; steady work; good pay. Apply 518 N. Commercial st. (8)
GIRLS Wtd.—For light factory work; wages $4.50 per week. Apply R. E. Funsten Dried Fruit and Nut Co., foot of Olive st. (5)
GIRL Wtd.—Bright girl, 15 years of age, in assorting department; wages $4 per week at start; no experience necessary. Lange Laundry Co., 2064 S. Jefferson av.
GIRL Wtd.—Intelligent girl for cutting and sewing on power machine; steady position; $5.50 per week. Star Bedding Co., 712 N. Commercial st. (4)
GIRLS Wtd.—Several good girls, 18 years and over, in wood working factory; light work; $5 per week; begin at once. Schoenthaler Mfg. Co., 1017 Chouteau av.
GIRLS Wtd.—To learn artificial flower making; paid well while learning. Rosenthal & Sloan Millinery Co., 1015 Washington av., third floor. (4)
GIRL Wtd.—Bright, active, experienced office girl; must be good writer, familiar with filing and indexing and more interested in her work than in watching the clock. Apply 614 Frisco Bldg.
LADIES—To advertise baking powder; $10 per week; 20c day carfare. 406 Market, room 220.
LADIES AND GIRLS Wtd.—Easy home work, Christmas number; highest wages. 3314A Olive st.
LADY Wtd.—Well-experienced in Marcel waving, manicuring and facial massage, to work three days per week on commission, in town of 20,000; best of reference as to character and ability required. Address, stating age, reference, etc., J 25, Post-Dispatch.
MACHINE GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced; to sew tents and awnings. Apply St. Louis Tent, Awning and Fish Net Co., 10 N. Main. (5)
NURSE Wtd.—Woman to wait on woman in confinement. Call 3712A Garfield av. (1)
OPERATOR Wtd.—Experienced, on Union Special sewer. Ely-Walker, 1900 Morgan. (4)
OPERATORS Wtd.—Experienced girls; operators on vests; 13c and 14c apiece; electric machines. 621 Lynch. (5)
PANTRY GIRL Wtd.—White. Plaza Hotel, 3127 Locust st.

SALESLADIES Wtd.—20 experienced salesladies; apply at once. B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO.

SEAMSTRESSES Wtd.—On shirts, drawers and overalls; to take work home. 1303 N. Broadway. (3)
STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—First-class lady of good education; must have large experience, be quick, bright, accurate and trustworthy; steady and permanent position for the right party; salary $60 per month to start; apply by mail, giving previous experience and references. Wm. Waltke & Co., 2d and [illegible] Grand; applications treated confidential if so desired. (4)
STRAW HAT SEWERS Wtd.—Best job in city; steady work; no lay-off; for good operators. 1910 Olive st.
STRAW HAT SEWERS Wtd.—Experienced; and girls to learn; good wages. Southwestern Straw Works, 2801 Benton.
STRAW HAT SEWERS Wtd.—Experienced; also girls to learn; paid while learning. Sylvester C. Judge, 1819 Pine.
WAISTCOAT MAKERS, ETC. Wtd.—Waistcoat makers and helpers. 4120 Delmar.
WAISTMAKERS Wtd.—Steady work. Miss Howorth, 4653 Maryland av. (4)
WAITRESS Wtd.—First-class; good wages. 209 S. Broadway.
WAITRESSES Wtd.—Three; at once. Plaza Hotel, 3127 Locust st.
WAITRESSES Wtd.—Experienced, for railroad eating houses; good wages; transportation. Union Station Restaurant.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

GENERAL FEMAL. HELP.

WOMAN Wtd.—Middle-aged; light, clean work. Room 4, 203 Pine st.

WOMAN Wtd.—To work in bakery and coffee house, wash dishes. 423 S. 2d st. (5)

SHOE WORKERS WANTED.

CRIMPER Wtd.—Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy sts. (4)

GIRLS Wtd.—To learn in cutting room. Peters Shoe Co., 12th and North Market.

GIRLS Wtd.—Table girls and lining makers on women's work. Peters Shoe Co., 12th and North Market.

INSEAMERS, ETC., Wtd.—Inseamers, beaders and top stitchers. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy sts. (4)

IRONERS Wtd.—Experienced girls to iron shoes. Johansen Bros. Shoe Co., 921 N. 11th.

OPERATORS Wtd.—Experienced. Ferguson-McKinney Suspender Factory, 1006 Locust.(5)

SHOEWORKERS Wtd.—Top stitcher and lining makers on men's work. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

VAMPERS Wtd.—Jordon Shoe Co., Belleville, Ill. (6)

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED.

ASSORTERS Wtd.—Experienced. Monarch Laundry Co., 2719 Franklin.

IRONERS Wtd.—Experienced ironers on ladies' white lawn shirt waists; good ironers can make $10 to $12 per week; good shirt finishers preferred. Apply Premier Shirt Waist Factory, 309 N. 10th st.

STARCHERS, ETC., Wtd.—Starchers and machine hands. South Side Laundry Co., 1412-1414 S. Broadway.

Rooms and Board

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

ADAMS, 3129—3 rooms, $11. 2922 Papin. (4)

BELL, 3415A—Front rooms, southern exposure; private family; all conveniences; Kinloch phone.

BELL, 3018A—One room, unfurnished or partly furnished; southern exposure; and one furnished; furnace heat, etc. Second door from Garrison, Between Franklin and Easton.

BLAIR, 1512—Second floor, furnished complete for housekeeping, $15; small fam. (7)

BRANTNER PL., 3146—Three rooms, 2d floor, use of bath, hot water, $12.50.

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Fine rooms, service, 25c and 50c per day; low weekly rates. (8)

BROADWAY, 2713 N.—Nicely furnished rooms, for gents or light housekeeping; all convs. (5)

CARR, 1835—Nicely furnished rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping; all conveniences. (6)

CATES, 5501A (corner Belt, in Cabanne)—Nicely furnished front parlor room, also front single room; electric light, hot bath, furnace heat; phone Forest 5832; terms reasonable.

CHANNING, 1113 N.—Suite of rooms, for housekeeping; 3d floor; all conveniences; rates reasonable. (4)

CHANNING, 713 N.—Suite of rooms for housekeeping, third floor, all conveniences; rates reasonable. (6)

CHANNING, 107 N.—Large front room, with range, for housekeeping; reasonable; also other rooms.

CHANNING, 616 N.—2 connecting rooms on 2d floor for light housekeeping; furnace heat; new gas range; hot water; phone, also other rooms.

CHESTNUT, 1629—Nicely furnished rooms.

CHOUTEAU, 1003—Nicely furnished connecting rooms; reasonable rates.

CHOUTEAU, 3144—2 large connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; $3 week.

CHOUTEAU, 944—Choice light rooms, for housekeeping, $1.50 up; hall rooms, $1.25 up.

CHOUTEAU, 1905—Neatly furnished room, gas and bath; $1.50 per week; private family.

CLARK, 2705—Furnished room, for light housekeeping; also basement room. (73)

CLARK, 2204—Newly papered rooms, for men or housekeeping; $1.50 week.

COMPTON, 16 N.—Room, single or en suite, furnished, for housekeeping; $2 up. (4)

COOK, 3848—Furnished 2d-floor front rooms, $5 and $10; conveniences. Delmar 2004L.

COOK, 3938—Three very desirable unfurnished, also large front room, well lighted.

COOK, 3521—Nicely furnished room; phone Lindell 4418. (4)

DAYTON, 2949—Two light, furnished, connecting rooms, for housekeeping. (4)

DELMAR BL., 4413—Bright and cheerful room, delightful bath, hot-water heat. (1)

DELMAR BL., 4634—Finely furnished front room; steam heat, phone, etc. (4)

DELMAR BL., 3605—Two nicely furnished rooms; gas, bath; both phones; reas. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3866—Large front room, electric light, hot bath, both phones; modern home. (6)

DELMAR BL., 4644—Nicely furnished rooms, steam heat; or will rent en suite for housekeeping.

DELMAR, 5252—Nicely furnished rooms, for gentlemen; furnace, electric lights and bath. (5)

DELMAR BL., 3927—Nicely furnished second floor front room, furnace heat and all conveniences. (1)

DELMAR BL., 3727—Furnished rooms, single or en suite; hot water and bath; charges reasonable. (6)

DOLMAN, 1222—Well furnished room; all conveniences; private; reasonable; gentlemen only. Phone.

EASTON, 3014—Second-story front room for gentlemen or couple; call evening, after 5.(6)

EASTON, 3053—Rooms for light housekeeping; southern exposure; all conveniences. (5)

EASTON, 4346A—Widow has nice, warm, comfortable front room, for gentleman or couple; $2.50.

EASTON, 3108—Nicely furnished second-story rooms, with or without light housekeeping. (4)

EASTON, 3009—Two neatly furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; gas, bath, laundry, to respectable parties.

EIGHTEENTH, 705 N.—First-class furnished rooms, phone and bath; price low. (4)

EIGHTEENTH, 810 N.—Cozy furnished room to quiet gentleman, no other roomers; private family.

EIGHTH, 1040A S.—3d floor; 3 rooms, bath and closet; one furnished room; use of bath and closet, 2d floor. (7)

ELLIOT, 1040A—Nicely furnished front room, ladies or couple; private family.

EVANS, 4273—Bright, warm room, hot bath, small family; call after 5 p. m. (4)

EVANS, 3507—Three nice, light connecting furnished rooms; sink in kitchen; no children. (4)

FINNEY, 3825—Large front room, completely furnished for housekeeping.

FINNEY, 3686—Furnished front rooms: gentlemen or housekeeping; furnace heat; $2 week.

FOURTEENTH, 118 S.—Furnished rooms for housekeeping or sleeping.

FOURTEENTH, 100 N.—Newly furnished throughout under new management; steam heat, hot and cold water in every room; large bathrooms, electric light; free Bell telephone; rooms, 75c, $1 and $1.50 per day; special rates by week; $3 up; 10 minutes' walk to business center and Union Station; convenient to all car lines; for men only. (7)

FRANKLIN, 2622—Furnished hall room, $5 month; also garret room. (4)

FRANKLIN, 3022A—Furnished room, gas, bath; ample clothes closet; all conv. (5)

FRANKLIN, 3014—Nicely furnished rooms; gas, bath. (2)

FRANKLIN, 3018A—Nicely furnished front room, suitable for two ladies or gentlemen; hall room. (5)

FURNISHED ROOMS—Private family, own home, South Side; will rent 2 nicely furnished rooms to couple for light housekeeping. Ad. H 29, Post-Dispatch. (5)

GARRISON, 2726 N.—4 nicely furnished rooms; bath; rent single or en suite. (6)

GARRISON, 626A N.—Large front, steam-heated rooms, gentlemen or housekeeping; gas, bath; reasonable. (5)

GARRISON, 916 N.—Nicely furnished middle room; housekeeping if desired; also hall room. (5)

GLASGOW, 2608—Six nice rooms, $20.

GRATTAN, 1214—Neatly furnished housekeeping rooms; cook stove, bath, laundry; $1 up. (4)

JEFFERSON, 1645 S.—Two rooms, first, second and third floor, furnace; light housekeeping; $7. (7)

JEFFERSON, 221 S.—Two nice connecting furnished rooms; light housekeeping; other rooms.

KENNERLY, 4801—Two rooms and alcove; bath; no children; $11.

KENNETT PL., 1821—Newly furnished room; gas, hot bath; private family; reasonable.(5)

KENSINGTON, 5032—Nicely furnished room; private family; gentleman; Suburban and Olive cars; telephone; reasonable. (1)

KING'S HIGHWAY, 1086A S.—Two furnished front rooms; opposite Forest Park; light housekeeping; hot water; all conveniences.

LACLEDE, 3333—Basement to quiet family.

LACLEDE, 2043—Two rooms for housekeeping; hot bath, gas; also sleeping room; $1.25.

LACLEDE, 4056—Furnished front room; heat; hot bath; private family; refs. required. (89)

LACLEDE, 2911—Second-floor front, large, furnished housekeeping room, $2.50; laundry, cook stove. (4)

LACLEDE, 3207—Nicely furnished room; southern exposure; for gentlemen or couple; reasonable. (4)

LACLEDE, 3163—Elegantly furnished connecting front rooms for housekeeping; with cook stove; cheap.

LACLEDE, 3333—Connecting rooms on second floor, for housekeeping; also sleeping rooms; furnace heat.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

LACLEDE, 3406—Rooms for ladies or gentlemen or light housekeeping; phone; all conveniences. (6)

LACLEDE, 3438—Single or connecting furnished front rooms for housekeeping; very reasonable.

LACLEDE, 3105—Large, furnished front room, housekeeping; also sleeping room; hot water.

LACLEDE, 4318—Two rooms; all conveniences; private family; gas, hot water; phone Lindell 4857.

LAFAYETTE, 2624—Two nice rooms for light housekeeping. (7)

LAFAYETTE, 2632—Furnished third-floor front room, $2.50 week. (3)

LAFAYETTE, 2601—One room, 1st floor; 2 rooms, 2d floor; 1 hall room, 3d floor; facing Lafayette Park; all convs. (5)

LAFAYETTE, 2106—One room, first floor; two rooms, second floor; one hall room, third floor; facing Lafayette Park; all conveniences. (6)

LA SALLE, 3401—Large furnished room for light housekeeping; with water.

LAWTON, 3043—Front room, 2d floor; light housekeeping; hot bath, gas range. Phone.

LAWTON, 3111A—Two unfurnished rooms, bathroom floor, $9 month, to elderly couple.

LAWTON, 3327—For rent, basement, in exchange for laundry work; white or colored.

LAWTON, 3026—Nicely furnished front room, for housekeeping; all conveniences.

LAWTON, 3203—2d floor front and connecting rooms; so. exp.; well furnished for housekeeping, to refined couple.

LAWTON, 2900—Large front room, for light housekeeping; furnace heat and cook stove; $2 per week and up.

LAWTON, 3421—Front connecting room for housekeeping; gas range, bath, phones; $18. (73)

LAWTON, 2834—One large, clean, beautifully furnished housekeeping room, with separate kitchen; gas, bath, laundry, phone; bedding laundered; $3.50 week; also hall room.

LINDELL, 3501—Furnished room for light housekeeping, with alcove.

LOCUST, 1414—Rooms for light housekeeping.

LOCUST, 1804—Nicely furnished rooms, furnace heat, hot bath, single rooms; $2 week. (4)

LOCUST, 3023—Nicely furnished rooms; good beds; well heated, in nice home; terms reas.

LOCUST, 1615—Nicely furnished rooms; hot bath, gas, furnace heat; rent reasonable. (7)

LOCUST, 3150—Nicely furnished large front room, with or without housekeeping; cheap. (4)

LOCUST, 3004—Front connecting and back rooms, gentlemen or housekeeping; all conveniences; $2 up.

LOCUST, 3200—Nicely furnished front rooms; modern conveniences; phone, piano, hot water all hours. (7)

LOCUST, 2215—Rooms for gentlemen or housekeeping; small rooms, single or connecting; reasonable.

LOCUST, 2810—Furnished rooms, en suite, front and back parlors, 1st floor, also other rooms, furnished for light housekeeping.

LOCUST, 1424—Neatly furnished 2d-floor front room; heat, hot bath; light housekeeping room.

LOCUST, 2802—Large front room, furnace heat, also light housekeeping room; gas, good hot baths. (4)

LOCUST, 2920—Rooms, for gentlemen and light housekeeping; best location in city; terms reasonable. (5)

LUCAS, 418—Nice rooms, 15c to 25c daily; $1 to $1.50 weekly; baths free. (6)

LUCAS, 2901—Front, southern-exposed first-floor; gentlemen preferred; after 6 p. m. (4)

LUCAS, 2901—Flat 8, first class housekeeping room; also for rooming, $1.25 week.

LUCAS, 3438—Unfurnished room, also basement room.

LUCAS, 2933—Neatly furnished rooms and housekeeping rooms; connecting; cook stove; cupboard; $1.25 and up.

LUCAS, 2929—First, second and third room, first floor; furnished for housekeeping; basement for laundry. (4)

MICHIGAN, 6517—One or two furnished rooms; private family; hot bath; convenient to cars; reasonable terms. (4)

MILLS, 2816—Three nice rooms, $8.

MISSISSIPPI, 1438—Neatly furnished rooms, opposite Lafayette Park, for gentlemen. (5)

MORGAN, 3133—Elegantly furnished rooms; convenient to car lines; $2.50 up. (6)

MORGAN, 3126—Furnished alcove front room; modern conv.; housekeeping optional. (4)

MORGAN, 2809—Second-story front room and kitchen, hot bath, laundry; reasonable. (5)

MORGAN, 4128—Nicely furnished rooms, in quiet modern home; phone Lindell 4818.

MORGAN, 3127—Newly papered, large front rooms; gas heat; telephone; all convs.

MORGAN, 3107—Furnished front; other rooms; housekeeping privileges; heat, gas; reas.

MORGAN, 3130—Two rooms, 1st floor, furnished or unfurnished; heat, hot bath, phone.

MORGAN, 4442—Choice, large, newly furnished room for gentleman; best attention; private family. (6)

MORGAN, 2911—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished; every convenience; use of piano, phone, sewing machine.

MORGAN, 3956—Two nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; furnace, gas, bath; reasonable.

MORGAN, 4066—Neatly furnished rooms, for men or working girls; private family; all conveniences.

MORGAN, 3639—Large, clean, warm room, furnace heat, hot bath, gas; very light housekeeping; $2.50 week.

MORGAN, 3455—Nicely furnished room, 3d floor, for housekeeping; no children; both phones. (62)

MORGAN, 4483—2d-story rooms; connecting or single; gentlemen; reasonable; Wellston, Delmar and Suburban cars. (5)

NINTH, 2522 N.—Two adjoining rooms for light housekeeping, $3 per week.

NINTH, 101 N.—Nicely furnished rooms; cheap rent. (6)

OLIVE, 2214½—Newly furnished rooms; bath, gas, heat; 2d floor. (6)

OLIVE, 2006—Room given in exchange for work to lady employed during day.

OLIVE, 4221A—Nicely furnished steam-heated rooms; hot bath; private family; reasonable.

OLIVE, 3506—Furnished rooms, for 2 or 4; also small room, bath; steam heat.

OLIVE, 1410—Nicely furnished rooms, also rooms for light housekeeping. (5)

OLIVE, 2208—Parlor; also one other room; clean and cheap. (6)

OLIVE, 1810—Front room, complete for housekeeping; bath, gas, phone; also hall room.(4)

OLIVE, 3501 (entrance 503 Theresa)—Elegant connecting parlors, first and second floors.(92)

OLIVE, 2728—Furnished hall room; heat, gas, hot water; own home; references required.(5)

OLIVE, 1411—Neatly furnished rooms, for light housekeeping and sleeping. (4)

OLIVE, 3838B—Nicely furnished rooms, in steam-heated apartment. (6)

OLIVE, 4265—Several newly furnished rooms, steam heat; reasonable. (4)

OLIVE, 3214—Large, well-furnished rooms, sleeping and housekeeping, $1.50 up; all conveniences. (5)

OLIVE, 3331—Large rooms; cabinet mantels, hot-water heat, electric lights; new apartments; reasonable.

OLIVE, 3148—Couple of nicely furnished front rooms; private family; conveniences; phone; gentlemen; reasonable.

OLIVE, 2311—Nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping, southern exposure, in connection, if desired.

PAGE BL., 3936—Large, beautiful room; modern; private family; rent reasonable.

PAGE BL., 4317—Private family has nicely furnished room; modern; cheap. (6)

PAGE BL., 4276—Nicely furnished room; furnace heat; all conveniences.

PAGE BL., 4126—Cozy small room; southern exposure; furnace heat, hot bath adjoining; small family; telephone; all conveniences; very reasonable.

PARK, 1925—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, all conveniences. (7)

PINE, 2730—Large, nicely furnished room for one or two gentlemen; phone, gas, heat; reas.

PINE, 3528—Second floor front and next room, cook stove, housekeeping, $5 week. (92)

PINE, 3401—Elegantly furnished rooms, corner house; private family; phone; all convs.

PINE, 3530—32 newly furnished rooms; furnace heat; gas, hot bath. (92)

PINE, 3303—First and second-floor rooms, for light housekeeping; all conveniences. (6)

PINE, 3414—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen or couple; phone 1938 Lindell. (6)

PINE, 3325—Beautifully furnished front room; furnace, gas, bath; reasonable. (7)

PINE, 3143—Nice rooms at $1.75 up; furnace heat; all convs. Phone, Central 9754R. (6)

PINE, 3331—Two large connecting front rooms, unfurnished; hot and cold water; $7.

PINE, 3416—Nicely furnished second-story front room, alcove; gas, hot bath; furnace; reasonable. (4)

PINE, 3323—Elegantly furnished rooms for housekeeping, light, furnace, hot bath, gas range; reasonable. (6)

PINE, 3233—Nicely furnished 2d floor front room, gas, hot bath, furnace heat; housekeeping.

PINE, 2732—Elegantly furnished rooms, hot bath, furnace heat, light housekeeping privileges. (7)

ROOM—Very large, nicely furnished front room, in vicinity of Lafayette Park; reached by three car lines. Ad. L 56, Post-Dis.(4)

ROOMS—Two desirable rooms, quiet home; west of Grand, near Olive. Ad. O 71, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ROOM—Furnished and every convenience, for one gentleman; Suburban line. Phone Delmar 1670.

ROOMS—Housekeeping, furnished, large, heated room, kitchen, wash house, yard, water, free coal, light, papers; entrance front and back; no other roomers; ladies or two respectable men employed, $1 week each. Wilson's, 819 N. 20th st. (4)

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

RANDOLPH, 2626—Two unfurnished rooms, $8.

ROOMS—Two desirable rooms, unfurnished, and bath, in private family; also one furnished room; will rent cheap. Call in evening after 6 o'clock. 3732 N. 25th.

RUTGER, 3016—One unfurnished room for light housekeeping; water, gas for cooking.(4)

ST. ANGE, 1208—Hall room, cleanly furnished, $1.

ST. LOUIS, 2522A—Furnished room for light housekeeping; bath. (7)

ST. VINCENT, 2855—Nicely furnished rooms, convenient to Park and Compton car; use of phone. (7)

SHENANDOAH, 3118—Furnished front and also a rear room. (6)

SHERIDAN, 3028—Large furnished room; modern house; use of gas; take Spring or Easton av. cars. (5)

SIXTH, 419 N.—Rooms, gentlemen; steam, hot water, electric light; $2 week up. (92)

SPRUCE, 509—Neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable. (1)

STODDARD, 2829—Two connecting rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; gas, bath, laundry.

TENTH, 914 N.—Furnished rooms, for light housekeeping.

THERESA, 525 N.—Rooms for light housekeeping; furnace heat; gas, bath, phone; $2.50 and $3 per week; quiet and refined parties only.

THOMAS, 3035—One unfurnished room, for light housekeeping.

TWELFTH, 817 N.—Near Franklin; nice front room for couple or two gentlemen; very reas.

TWELFTH, 2300 S.—Room, complete for housekeeping; running water. Phone Gray 1283. (6)

TWENTIETH, 814 N.—10 neatly furnished single rooms, light housekeeping; $1.50 and $2 each. (1)

TWENTIETH, 3109 N.—Three large rooms, 3d floor; water, gas; no objection to children; very cheap. (4)

VICTOR, 1101—Three rooms, large porch, water; all conveniences. Apply on premises; $8.50.

WASH, 2329½—Three basement rooms; also 3 rooms, first floor; rent reduced to $14.

WASH, 1820—Furnished room, light and heat; reasonable.

WASH, 1807—Nicely furnished front rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences; rent reasonable.

WASHINGTON, 1414—Furnished rooms; $1 per week up; light housekeeping; cheap. (8)

WASHINGTON, 3211—Nicely furnished rooms, light housekeeping. (4)

WASHINGTON, 1627—Rooms for light housekeeping, $2 and $1.75 week.

WASHINGTON BL., 3854—Nicely furnished rooms, well heated and comfortable; Bell phone.

WASHINGTON, 2631—Newly decorated furnished rooms, $1.50 up; also housekeeping rooms; hot bath. (5)

WASHINGTON, 2643—Parlor, southern exposed; gentlemen preferred; reasonable; hall room $1 week; quiet place. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4120—Large room, nicely furnished; also single room; private.

WEST BELLE PL., 4409—Front room, unfurnished; heat and light; $6.

WEST BELLE PL., 4439—Nicely furnished front room; southern exposure; all conveniences; reasonable.

WEST BELLE PL., 4064—Front parlor for roommate for young man; 2d-story front; $4.50.

WEST BELLE PL., 432—Southern exposed room; gentleman or housekeeping; heat, bath, phone. (5)

WEST END PL., 508—Newly furnished and decorated front parlor; will furnish gas for very light housekeeping; permanent parties; $11 month. (4)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4106—Single and connecting rooms, newly decorated, hot bath and electric lights. (6)

WEST PINE BL., 3444—Furnished second-story front room, couple or gentlemen; reas. (6)

WYOMING, 2628—Two light connecting unfurnished rooms, convenient to three car lines; rent $6. (5)

WESTMINSTER, 3965—Large front room, with all conveniences. (8)

WHITTIER, 515A—Front alcove, heated, well furnished; gentlemen or couple employed. Call evening.

FOR COLORED.

EWING, 605 S.—Four unfurnished rooms; $14 per month.

LAWTON, 2948—Neatly furnished rooms, for colored people. (5)

LAWTON, 2934—Furnished front rooms, $2 per week; furnace heat in back rooms. (6)

LEFFINGWELL, 112 N.—Nicely furnished rooms for colored; running water; first and second floor. (7)

MAFFITT, 4305—Two or three large rooms in good order; city water.

MANCHESTER, 3315—Three rooms, second floor, for colored. Inquire 25 S. Channing.

MORGAN, 3728A—One newly furnished front room, for colored; call between 3 and 6 p.m.

MORGAN, 2804—Neatly furnished rooms, from $2 to $2.50; also conveniences.

MORGAN, 2630—Several unfurnished rooms, single or en suite.

MORGAN, 2743—Unfurnished rooms, second floor, rear; water.

MORGAN, 2902—Large unfurnished room and kitchen; third floor front.

PINE, 2340—Furnished and unfurnished rooms; 1st, 2d, 3d floor and basement rooms; Bomont 2119. (8)

TWENTY-FIRST, 1018 N.—Well-furnished front room for housekeeping; bath and gas; conveniences.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

AUBERT, 1244—Nicely furnished room, with board; Bell phone.

BARTMER, 5905—Front room; southern exposure; modern; no other boarders; pri. fam. (92)

BARTMER, 5603—Nicely furnished front southern-exposed rooms, with board. Forest 1307. (7)

BIDDLE, 1404—Nice front room, with board, in private family; reasonable.

BOARD—Room, with board, small private family, for workingman. Ad. K 142, P.-D.

BOTANICAL, 3644—Nicely furnished, large room and hall room, phone and all conveniences; board optional.

CABANNE, 5642—Large, warm room, with excellent board; also single room; phone. (5)

CABANNE, 5523—Exceptionally comfortable room, 2d floor, with eastern exposure; good home cooking; near Suburban car line; suitable for two gentlemen or couple. Phone Forest 3008. (4)

CLEVELAND, 3924—Nicely furnished room, with board; or 1 or 2 gentlemen; private home. (6)

COMPTON, 1114A N.—Good board and room; gas and bath; $4 per week.

COOK, 4516—Elegantly furnished 2d floor front rooms; modern convs.; first class board. Phone. (5)

COOK, 4344—Large and small room, nicely furnished; private family; for gentlemen; good board; modern; cars convenient; telephone Delmar 2730R.

COTTAGE, 3727—Nicely furnished front room, with board; workingman preferred.

DELMAR BL., 4116-4118—Desirable single rooms, with first-class board; Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 3850—Nice, warm room, with board; home cooking; phone; hot bath.

DELMAR BL., 3915—Room, with board; modern conveniences; reasonable. (5)

DELMAR BL., 4122—Nicely furnished rooms, good board; reasonable; phone.

DELMAR BL., 3961—A delightful front room, southern exposure; all conveniences; superior table. (4)

DELMAR BL., 3892—Large, second-floor front room, with or without board; phone Lindell 4641. (4)

DELMAR BL., 3860—Nicely furnished rooms, with good board; furnace heat, hot bath; Lindell 2511L. (6)

DELMAR BL., 3868—Nicely furnished room; southern exposure; good board; reasonable. Phone Lindell 4698. (4)

DELMAR, 3565—Warm, comfortable rooms; home cooking; phone; bath and all conveniences; reasonable. (7)

DELMAR, 3942—Large second-story front room, with board; couple or gentlemen; phone; reasonable. (4)

DELMAR BL., 3733—Large front room, for gentlemen or ladies employed; private family; excellent table.

DELMAR BL., 4065—Nicely furnished room and board; furnace heat and bath; free phone.

DELMAR BL., 4645—Beautiful front room, southern exposure; steam heat; board if desired; gentlemen preferred; also hall room.

DELMAR BL., 4063—Nicely furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or ladies employed. (4)

DELMAR BL., 5017—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; steam heat, electric light, bath; reasonable rates. (6)

DELMAR BL., 4381—Nice, warm room, southern exposure; board if desired; reasonable; Kinloch phone. (6)

DELMAR BL., 3846—Clean, nicely furnished, warm room, southern exposed; every convenience; best of board; for gentlemen; phone Delmar 3656L.

DELMAR BL., 4143—Two large, elegantly furnished rooms; steam heat; excellent home cooking; private family; own home; for couple or two gentlemen.

DELMAR BL., 5185—Rooms, single or en suite; individual service; every home comfort; all modern improvements; table board unsurpassed; terms very reasonable. (6)

DELMAR BL., 4363—Strictly modern, large southern-exposed room; table affords the market's best products; splendid location; all conveniences; references; reasonable. (6)

EASTON, 3160—Unfurnished room, with meals; lady preferred.

EASTON, 4864—Rooms and board $4.50; also day board; first-class; gas, bath, heat. (5)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

EAST GRAND, 2013A—Beautiful front room, with board; washing, bath; gentleman; $4.50; Grand and Bellefontaine cars. (5)

EIGHTEENTH, 1438 S.—Furnished front room, including board, $4 per week; walking distance. (4)

EUCLID, 724 N.—Furnished front hall room and back parlor, with board; gas, bath, furnace heat, parlor, phone Forest 5881.

EVANS, 3939—Large room, with board; also small room; private family; hot bath; reas.

EVANS, 4332—Furnished rooms, with board, for gentlemen or ladies employed; convs.

EXCELLENT rooms and board at "The Lexington," Grand and Morgan; refined surroundings; very reasonable. (7)

FAIRMOUNT, 5163—West End; Suburban cars; handsome front rooms; first-class board; southern exposure; steam heat; private family; adults; modern home.

FINNEY, 4355—Nicely furnished room, with all modern conveniences; with good board; reasonable.

FRANKLIN, 2617—Pleasant room for working girl; with or without board.

GARRISON, 609 N.—You will find a comfortable home, two side, front connecting rooms, suitable for couple, large enough for three or four, and one smaller room, southern exposure, well heated and all modern conveniences, $5 week and upward; good German cooking; Washington cars, Page and Delmar, pass it; everything first-class; Bell phone.(5)

GOODFELLOW, 1426A—Nice warm furnished room, with or without board; reasonable. (4)

GRAND, 1113 N.—Room and board for 2 gentlemen; strictly private family; all convs.

GRAND, 2539 N.—Nicely furnished front room; private family; bath, telephone; board optional.

GRAND, 1635 S.—Large corner front room; bay window; closet; with hot and cold water; excellent board; phone Grand 439.

GRATTAN, 1427—Large front room, with board, for 2 quiet ladies.

HARTFORD, 3640—Room and good board on South Side; all conveniences; handy to cars.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 1236 N.—Excellent table board, $4 week; good rooms; Forest 2727. (2)

LACLEDE, 3434—Rooms, with or without board.

LACLEDE, 3216—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room; 3 adults; with or without board. (4)

LACLEDE, 4372—Two large front rooms; good board; all modern conveniences; phone Lindell 2597. 2

LAWTON, 3443—Neatly furnished rooms and board; reasonable. (1)

LAWTON, 2835—Neatly furnished rooms and board, $3.50 up per week. (4)

LAWTON, 2824—Room and board; one or two gentlemen; gas, bath, telephone; reasonable. (4)

LAWTON, 2923—Lovely front rooms; superior board; every convenience; fine family; own home; reasonable.

LINDELL, 3942—Two beautiful second-story rooms with board; phone, Lindell 2409. (6)

LINDELL, 3544—Large nicely furnished front room, 2d floor, suitable for two or three gentlemen; all conveniences; board optional. (4)

LOCUST, 3127—Plaza Hotel; American plan; $7 per week. (7)

LOCUST, 2808—Clean, warm room; good board; hot bath; prices reasonable.

LOCUST, 3144—Light, warm, nicely furnished rooms, with board, $45; hot bath. (5)

LOCUST, 2930—2d-story front room; good board; reasonable.

LOCUST, 2119—Rooms, with board; well-heated; nicely furnished. (7)

LOCUST, 2131—Steam-heated rooms, with board, $4.50 and $5 week; all convs. (4)

LOCUST, 3003—Second-floor front, suitable for three or four ladies or gentlemen, $4 a week; heat, gas and conveniences; also day board.

LUCAS, 3421—Large, well-heated rooms, with board; conveniences; reasonable. (5)

LUCAS, 3217—Newly furnished front rooms, with board; two unfurnished rooms; terms reasonable.

LUCAS, 3035—Boarders; good home cooking; every attention; reasonable; widow's home; bath; phone. (4)

LUCAS, 2818—Two connecting rooms, for 4 gentlemen, with board; gas, hot bath and phone; $3.75 per week.

McPHERSON, 4061—Room, with home cooking; use of parlor; Bell phone; gentlemen; reasonable.

McPHERSON, 4068—Two or four gentlemen can find warm rooms, separate beds, private home; very clean; reasonable; good table.(4)

MISSISSIPPI, 1221—Neatly furnished rooms; board; furnace heat; all conveniences; block of Lafayette Park. (5)

MISSOURI, 1740—Single room, with excellent board, in small family; adults employed. (7)

MISSOURI, 1431—Elegantly furnished 2d-floor room, facing Lafayette Park, with board, bath, phone; references exchanged. (5)

MORGAN, 3043—Front room, with first-class board; ladies or gentlemen. (6)

MORGAN, 4000—Room and board for two or couple; all conveniences. (5)

MORGAN, 3424—Warm, delightful rooms, with excellent board, $4 up; all accommodations. (4)

MORGAN, 3311—Adjoining rooms, all conveniences; sleeping or housekeeping; single room, board, to lady or gentleman employed.

MORGAN, 3501—Comfortably furnished front rooms, superior table; Bell phone; electric lights, furnace, hot bath, block from four car lines. (6)

NICELY furnished room with board, for two; reasonable; bath. 120 N. Newstead; Lindell, 631. (7)

OLIVE, 4002A—Nicely furnished room, with board for 2; gas and bath; $3.50 week.

OLIVE, 4283—Beautiful front room, with first-class board, suitable for 2 gentlemen; also single room, in private family. (6)

OLIVE, 4608—Exceptionally nice room, with board; two persons; $40 monthly; single room, $20.

PAGE BL., 4569A—Two rooms, front, heat, bath, hot and cold water; $3 week; phone.(5)

PAGE BL., 4055—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; board optional; first-class table. (5)

PAGE BL., 4247A—Nice, clean room and excellent board, couple or parties employed; every convenience. (92)

PAGE BL., 4929—Large, comfortably furnished room, with good board; modern conveniences; one or two gentlemen; private family; phone service; reasonable.

PARK, 2233—Two connecting rooms, with good table board; will let single or en suite; new furnace; phone Grand 2660. (5)

PINE, 3033—Neat rooms, steam heated; home cooking; private parlor; $5 per week. (4)

PINE, 3410—Elegant rooms, with board, for two persons; $4.50 per week each. (5)

PINE, 2918—One nice front room, with board. (6)

ROOM AND BOARD—Wanted, two babies or small children to board; mother's care. Ad. O 12, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Beautiful 2d-story front room; southern exposure; hot-water heat; electric light; modern conveniences; good table. Lindell 2362. (6)

ROOMS AND BOARD—Large, comfortable rooms, with liberal home table, in steam-heated West End upper flat, for refined gentlemen or couple. Telephone Lindell 1983. (5)

ST. VINCENT, 2855—Two neatly furnished rooms, all conveniences; good locality. (5)

SPRING, 721 (between Delmar and Morgan)—Furnished rooms; excellent board; hot bath; furnace; for gentlemen. (5)

TENTH, 1114 S.—Room and board; 2 gentlemen; fire, gas, hot bath; reasonable.

THEROSIA, 5911—Well furnished 2d-floor room; furnace, gas, porcelain hot bath; private family; convenient to Olive, Easton, Suburban cars; room and board; $4.50 per week; Bell phone Forest 4851.

VERNON, 5370—Nice comfortable room; all conveniences; good home cooking; everything first class. (5)

VERNON, 5310—Elegant front room, steam heat, hot water, electric light, breakfast optional; private family; reasonable. (7)

VERNON, 5205—Beautiful, large 2d-floor southern-exposed room, suitable for 3 or 4 gentlemen; all modern conveniences; terms reasonable; also another room, for two. (4)

WALTON, 1131A—Furnished room, one or two gentlemen; with or without board. (7)

WASHINGTON, 2847—Board and room, $4 to $7 per week; table board, $2.50. (2)

WASHINGTON, 2912—Nicely furnished rooms; good board; steam heat; use of two phones.

WASHINGTON BL., 4105—Single room, with board, for gentlemen; references exchanged.

WASHINGTON, 2710—1st and 2d story rooms, separate bath, steam heat; first-class board; meal tickets to day boarders. Central 8460.

WASHINGTON BL., 4033—Single 2d-floor front room, with board; southern exposure; also other rooms; phone Lindell 4787. (5)

WASHINGTON BL., 3620—Elegantly furnished southern and eastern exposed room; choice table; Bell phone; steam heat. (6)

WASHINGTON, 3031—Nice, warm rooms; hot bath; board; first-class; $4, $4.50 and $5 per week.

WASHINGTON BL., 4219—Desirable rooms; home cooking; only gentlemen. Lindell 4659. (6)

WEST BELLE PL., 4168—Desirable rooms, with board, for ladies or gentlemen employed. (5)

WEST BELLE PL., 3927—Large, nicely furnished front room for two gentlemen, with board. (6)

WEST BELLE PL., 3968—Desirable front room $4.50 each; for two; also roommate, for refined young man; excellent board; every modern convenience. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 5149—Modern home; attractive 2d-floor rooms; good table; Bell phone; reasonable. (6)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4122—Beautiful 2d and 3d floor rooms; southern exposure; good table; reasonable.

WEST PINE BL., 4132—Furnished rooms, hot-water heat; good board; every conv. (4)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4134—Very desirable second-story front room for one or two gentlemen; first-class table board and all conveniences. Lindell 5071. (4)

WEST PINE BL., 4252—Two fine double rooms, with first-class board; $60 and $65 for two persons, per month; best West End section, near three lines trolleys. (4)

WEST WHITTIER, 1027 N.—Two connecting front and back rooms, handsomely furnished; private family; good board; modern; use of parlor and piano.

WHITTIER, 1126 (corner Cook)—Good room and board, only $15 per month.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

BOARD Wtd.—Young lady desires room and board in home of widow; state particulars. Ad. H 11, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BOARD AND ROOM Wtd.—Near 20th and Hebert, by clerk; will pay $25 month. Ad. H 2, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD Wtd.—Nice private boarding place for elderly lady; will pay about $4 per week; answer, giving location and particulars. Ad. H 40, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD AND ROOM Wtd.—Warm, well lighted room, with board, by respectable young lady, employed downtown; give full particulars. Ad. H 59, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By young man, in private family; within 20 minutes' ride of Broadway; state price. 821 Washington av.

APARTMENTS AND HOTELS.

ROOMS—5 rooms, steam heated, hot water, gas ranges, grand halls, marble entrances, hardwood floors; rent $45; special inducements if taken immediately. Long, 5577 Delmar. (4)

Houses, Flats, etc.

FLATS FOR RENT.

ARKANSAS AV., 2350—Pretty, well-lighted, 6-room modern flat at reasonable rent; Compton Heights and Fourth st. cars. Hy. Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut. (5)

ASHLAND, 4449A-51-51A—New 3-room flats; baths, brick street; good street car facilities, $18. A. H. Frederick, 111 N. 7th. (61x)

BAYARD, 1334A—Five rooms; all modern conveniences; rent $22.

CABANNE, 5373—Elegant, 6 rooms, hot-water heat, gas range, janitor service; $40.

CALIFORNIA, 3525—3 and 4 rooms. (5)

CASS, 1515—This desirable flat; $22.50.

CASTLEMAN, 4118A—Fine 6-room flat; every modern convenience; tile bath, separate entrances, furnaces, etc.; $28. M. B. O'Reilly R. and I. Co., 723 Chestnut st. (62)

CLARA, 1481-81A—6 rented; only two left; 4 and 5 room flats, just finished; everything thoroughly modern; heated by furnace; Dutch dining room, with plate rail, beam ceiling, panel wainscoting; fixtures, shades and screens furnished; will decorate; apply at 1479A Clara av., or Royal Investment Co., 107 N. 7th st. (6)

COMPTON AV., 3008 S.—Flat, 4 large rooms.

COMPTON, 2332A S.—New five-room flat; all modern improvements; rent reasonable. (7)

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4297A—Five rooms, bath, furnace, etc.; asphaltum street and splendid neighborhood; rent $21.50. (8)

DE KALB, 3413 (near Cherokee st.)—Three elegant rooms, only $11; open; will paper. L. P. Baitinger, Fullerton Bldg.

DELMAR BL., 5034A—6 large rooms; will be finely decorated; janitor; open. (8)

FAIRMOUNT, 5168A—Six nice rooms, modern; will be elegantly decorated to suit tenant; open. (8)

FAIRMOUNT, 5155—Elegant, 6 rooms, tile bath, steam heat, separate entrance, gas stove, heater, fixtures, shades, etc.; tenant to select decorations.

FINNEY, 3834 (east of Vandeventer av.)—Elegant 4-room flat and bath, hot water, etc.; each room has separate entrance from front door; only $20; open. L. P. Baitinger, Fullerton Bldg.

FLAT—New flat; 4 rooms; bath, hot and cold water; laundry, gas and electric light, gas grates; $23; corner Leffingwell and Madison.

FOLSOM, 3659—5 and 6 well-lighted, large rooms; rent $30 and $32.50. Apply 3649 Folsom av. (7)

FOREST PARK BL., 4322—The best new and modern 5-room flats in city; $45 month; will decorate to suit. John S. Sidebotham, Agt., 5971 Easton. (8)

FOURTEENTH AND CARR—Southeast corner; 5-room flat; $20; second floor.

GARRISON, 1235 N.—Two clean, bright front rooms; bath, gas; $2 week.

GREER, 4854—Something new in a 3 and 5 room flat; furnace, gas fixtures, etc.; every room bright and new; separate porches, good yards; rent low to good tenants. Wm. Booth & Co., 807 Chestnut st. (62)

HARRIS, 4249-53-55—New 3 and 5 room flats, entirely separate furnaces, gas fixtures, large yards, separate porches; 3 blocks from O'Fallon Park; low rent to quick tenants. G. J. Wanstrath R. Co., 816 Chestnut. (62)

HICKORY, 1959A—Nice flat, 4 rooms and bath; $20; keys at 1810 La Salle. (75)

HICKORY, 804—Four-room flat; bath, etc.; near many cars; small family; open.

JEFFERSON, 907 N.—For rent, 2 beautiful cottages, $18.50 and $9. Dr. Rice. (92)

JOHN, 2112—Modern 4-room flat; all conveniences; rent $21. (62)

KENNERLY, 4770-72-74—Nicely arranged 3-room flats, separate porches and yards and cellars; just being finished; just the flats for young couples. M. B. O'Reilly R. and I. Co., 723 Chestnut st. (62)

LABADIE, 4060—Four light rooms; bath screens and fixtures; $24.

LABADIE, 4705A—5-room flat; bath, will put in first-class condition for tenant; $22.50. A. H. Frederick, 111 N. 7th st. (61x)

LAUREL AV., 1473A (½ block of Easton, between Goodfellow and Hamilton avs.)—Five-room flat; furnace, bath; $25. (4)

MAFFITT, 3902—Corner; 5-room flat; bath, hot water; $23. Baggot, 1004 Chestnut.

MAFFITT, 4266 (in Chouteau pl.)—Elegant 6-room flat; nicely decorated; modern conveniences. (4)

NEWSTEAD, 1417A—5 rooms, modern; will be elegantly decorated to suit tenant. (8)

OXFORD, 5917 AND 5917A (private street, between Minerva and Ridge)—New, modern 4 and 5 rooms; furnaces; $22 and $25; Wellston car, walk one block east; apply 324 Laclede Bldg. (8)

PAGE BL., 4119—Five-room detached flat; bath, furnace, etc.; will paper to suit tenant. Ed I. Methudy & Co., 318 Fullerton Bldg.(8)

PAGE BL., 5574-74A-78-78A—New 5 and 6 room flats; porcelain bathtubs, furnaces; all modern conveniences; rent $37.50 and $40. A. H. Frederick, 111 N. 7th st. (61x)

PENN, 2007—Second floor; 5 rooms, attic, all conveniences; laundry; gas fixtures.

ROOMS—5 rooms on Carr st.; $16. Apply 1923 or Nicholls & Ritter. (6)

RUSSELL, 4110-12—New 5 and 6 room detached flats; finely arranged; separate tile porches and baths; furnace, gas fixtures, etc.; $26 and $28. M. B. O'Reilly R. and I. Co., 723 Chestnut st. (62)

ST. VINCENT, 2701—5-room flat, bath, $23. A. H. Frederick, 111 N. 7th st. (61x)

SARAH, 1907 N.—4-room flat; bath; all front rooms; reduced to $16; open. (8)

SECOND, 1821 S. (Lafayette av.)—Three nice rooms, only $9.50; open. L. P. Baitinger, Fullerton Bldg.

SHERIDAN, 2801—Three and four large rooms for housekeeping; hall and attic.

TWENTY-THIRD, 1437 N.—2 and 4 room flats; separate entrances; cheap rent and good.

VICTOR, 2853—Flat, 5 rooms; bath, hot and cold water; open. (7)

VIRGINIA, 4520—$16; 5 rooms and bath; newly decorated; good neighborhood.

VISTA, 3627—Three-room flat, bath, $18. A. H. Frederick, 111 N. 7th st. (61x)

WADE, 6423—Four rooms; rent $8 and $9; 4 blocks south of Forest Park. (8)

WASHINGTON BL., 4747A—6 rooms, bath, furnace, etc., $35. John McMenamy I. and R. E. Co., 3139 Easton av. (8)

WELLS, 5042—New 5-room flat, bath, gas fixtures, screens, laundry, $22. (5)

WELLS, 5131—Elegant new 4-room flat, furnace, hot and cold water; gas and electric fixtures, mantels, $25. Call Main 5204. (5)

WELLS, 5131-31A—Best-arranged flat in city; exceptionally large rooms; halls, carpets, chandeliers, furnace and curtains; everything separate.

WELLS, 5130A—6 rooms, bath, furnace, etc., $25. John McMenamy I. and R. Co., 3139 Easton av. (8)

WEST BELLE TERRACE, 4587A—7 rooms, bath, janitor service; rent $27.50. Emanuel Well, 512 Security Bldg. (8)

WYOMING, 3871—Modern 3-room flats, with bath, stationary washstand, gas grates, etc.; brand-new and up-to-date; only $18; also 3124 N. Newstead; same as above. Dougherty & Bush, 1013 Chestnut. (7)

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.

BARTMER, 5905—Four-room furnished flat; modern; piano; references exchanged.

CABANNE, 5529—7 large, beautifully furnished rooms; steam heat furnished; hot water, electric lights.

EVANS, 3976—Connecting parlors, bath, complete housekeeping; gas range, furnace; $18. (5)

FURNISHED FLAT—Handsomely furnished flat, Lindell bl.; furnace heat; phone Lindell 3378.

FURNISHED FLAT—5-room furnished flat, strictly modern, $30. J. A. Smith, Normandie Hotel. (4)

LEONARD, 1121 N.—Furnished flat of 4 rooms, bath; $6 per week; no children.

SARAH, 1117A—Neatly furnished four-room flat, reasonable; phone Lindell 1922.

WEST BELLE PL., 4478—Three rooms, complete for housekeeping; furnace, gas, piano; every convenience.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

CATES, 6063—Nine-room new brick house; every convenience; $60. John S. Sidebotham, Agt., 5971 Easton. (8)

FAIRMOUNT, 5236—Nine rooms, bath, gas, furnace; all modern; nice yard; cheap; open.

McPHERSON, 4050—Fine 11-room residence; 2 baths, etc.; furnace, laundry, large, light rooms; will rent cheap. M. B. O'Reilly R. and I. Co., 723 Chestnut st. (62)

MADISON, 2721—Large 7-room house, bath, laundry, attic, furnace, hot and cold water, gas heaters, large yard; $35.

MORGAN, 3317—Splendid 10-room detached house, bath, furnace, gas fixtures; fine repair; $45.

OLD MANCHESTER RD., 6680—Small cottage; large lot; southwest; 5c fare; $10. 512 Carleton Bldg.

PAGE BL., 3518—Eight rooms, bath, new furnace, large yard; open; rent reasonable. P. T. Madden & Co., 3512 Easton.

PINE, 3407—Attractive 9-room house. Keys at 3409 Pine st. (4)

ST. EDWARDS, 5572—Four-room cottage, water, gas; cheap to small family.

VISTA, 3409—Seven rooms and reception hall, furnace, gas grate; all conveniences; open.

TO LET FOR BUS. PURPOSES.

DESK ROOM—Corner, first floor; steam heat; both phones. 200 N. 2d st. (89)

EASTON, 5606—The finest storeroom on Easton av., 25x60, with 6-room flat above; all modern conveniences; metal ceiling; furnace heat; plenty of light and an elegant show window. Apply at 1479A Clara av., or Royal Investment Co., 107 N. 7th st. (6)

FINE, five stall; large vehicle space; excellent driveway; living room. "Lexington," Grand and Morgan. (7)

FOURTH, 720 S.—Two-story large brick stable; all modern improvements; heart of city.

JEFFERSON, 3506 S.—Small store and four rooms; suitable for shoe store or paper hanger; $27.

LUNCHSTAND—For rent, good paying lunchstand. Inquire Berger Bros, 1731 Chouteau av. (5)

MARKET, 300-302—Separately or together. Warren, 200 N. 2d st. (89)

OLIVE, 3000—For dentist; all conveniences; extremely low rent. (5)

SPACE—Factory or storage space; 2000 feet, $20; 5000 feet, $50; well lighted; elevator; central. Warren, 200 N. 2d st. (89)

STORE—Sign painter and paper hanger; steam heat furnished. Inquire drug store, 14th and Chestnut.

STORE—Corner Vandeventer and Maffitt; new store, with 5 rooms, bath, hot water, granitoid cellar; rent reasonable. Baggot, 1004 Chestnut.

TENTH, 206 N.—Store, 12x24. Inquire 204 N. 10th. George Frisch. (5)

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5107—Furnished or unfurnished modern 6-room house; gas, bath and furnace; apply on premises.

FURNISHED HOUSES WANTED.

FURNISHED HOUSE Wtd.—12 to 15 rooms; select neighborhood; in West End; for three or four months; in answering, please make statement in detail. Ad. H 34, Post-Dis.

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT.

COTTAGE—Fine new cottage at Old Orchard; electric light, furnace, gas, hot and cold water, bath and all conveniences. Al T. Smith, Old Orchard. (4)

FOR COLORED PEOPLE.

PRAIRIE, 1310—Three rooms, newly papered; cheap to good tenant. John McMenamy Invest. and R. E. Co., 3139 Easton av. (6)

HOUSES, ROOMS, FLATS—WANTED.

FLAT Wtd.—Three or four large rooms, clothes closet, gas, bath, coal bin, private entrance; must be cheap; permanent and prompt pay; respectable neighborhood. Ad. O 137, P.-D.

ROOMS Wtd.—West of 5300 and south of Etzel, two single rooms, without board. Ad. C. J., 5598 Etzel. (5)

ROOMS, ETC., Wtd.—Furnished rooms or flat, complete for housekeeping; two beds, for family of five, three children, going to school. Ad. H 31, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two furnished rooms for single professional gentleman; between Broadway and 18th and Geyer and Park. Ad. L 120, Post-Dispatch. (5)

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT.

HOUSE—Seven-room house; bath, gas, electric lights; convenient to cars and train; $32 per month. Al T. Smith, office near Frisco depot, Old Orchard, Mo. (4)

HOUSE—For rent, 6-room house, 2 acres, in Harper's subdivision, Webster Groves; rent $15 per month to careful tenant. Arthur Mittelberg, 909 Chestnut. (89)

HOUSE—Six-room house; furnace, gas, electric lights; 427 Providence av., in Webster Groves; convenient to Mo. Pac. Al T. Smith, Old Orchard. (4)

WANTED FOR BUS. PURPOSES.

DESKROOM Wtd.—In central business section; state price. Ad. L 123, Post-Dispatch. (4)

For Sale—Wanted

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

DESK Wtd.—Oak typewriter desk. Ad. H 196, Post-Dispatch.

DESK Wtd.—Roll-top desk; give size, description and price. Ad. L 134, Post-Dis.

SCRAP IRON Wtd.—Highest price paid. Louisiana Contracting Co., phone Lindell 956, 3840 Duncan. (8)

A BARGAIN price paid; old clothes, suits, overcoats, feathers; send postal. N. Broddon, 805 N. 7th st. (14x)

ABSOLUTELY best price paid for gents' old clothing, shoes, feathers; postal or call at store. Yatkeman, 2309 Market st.; Central 674L. (8)

ANYONE having men's, ladies' clothing, sell to Joe Gilber; suits, overcoats, $3 to $10; feathers, 60c. Central 8833, Main 4812. Postals; will call. 1419 Carr; no branches. (8)

BARGAINS in evening and street dresses; highest price paid for ladies' and gents' cast-off clothing. Mrs. Miller, 607 Walnut st. Central 871. Main 470. (55)

COINS, unused postage stamps, old guns and weapons wanted; foreign money exchanged. St. Louis Stamp and Coin Co., 115 N. 11th st. (8)

HIGHEST price paid for ladies' and gents' old clothes. Arenstein, 1420 Morgan; Main 4737. (14x)

LADIES and gentlemen: Get an elegant price for your cast-off clothes; postal. Ben Gilber, 624 Morgan, or phone Kinloch Central 8622L. (8)

MEMBERSHIP Wtd.—To Merchants' Exchange; state lowest cash price. Ad. H 17, Post-Dispatch.

SHOWCASES Wtd.—6-foot showcases; must be cheap. Call Delmar 1214; Kinloch phone.

WE want two carloads of 2d-hand furniture, hotel and restaurant goods. Call 113 N. 12th st. (6)

SHIPPERS

Ship your poultry, eggs and calves to Maurer Meat and Provision Co., 8 and 10 S. Jefferson av. We pay ½c per lb. over daily quotations on poultry and calves; no commission charged. (62)

NICKEL PLATING

Also gold, silver, brass and copper plating; repairing, oxidizing and lacquering at reasonable rates. DEGGE & MUSICK, 717-719 Market st. (60)

GOLD AND SILVER

GOLD, silver and nickel-plating in all its branches; repairing old silverware a specialty. Gustav M. Krause, 617 Pine st., 2d floor. (60)

CLOTHING.

CLOTHES—For sale, one complete dress suit, one extra Tuxedo coat, in good condition; price $5, at 1230 S. Broadway.

OVERCOAT—For sale, chinchilla overcoat, size 40; good condition, $6. Apply 3501 Shenandoah.

TAILOR-MADE gents' second-hand overcoats, suits, pants; good as new; at your own price; call at once. Yatkeman, 2309 Market st. (87)

STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES.

FIXTURES—Barber shop outfit for sale. 2900 Morgan st. (4)

ICEBOX Wtd.—To buy a medium size second-hand icebox, good for butcher shop; preferred if it is in East St. Louis; write at once to G. Gerard, 717 O'Fallon st., St. Louis, Mo. (5)

FOR SALE—SHOW CASES; FIRST-CLASS; AT A BARGAIN. HESS & CULBERTSON JEWELRY CO., 6th AND LOCUST STS. (8)

BUILDING MATERIAL, ETC.

ROOFING.

ROOFING MATERIAL—Material of every description; write for sample and prices of our Doroscoroid rubber roofing. Daniels Roofing and Supply Co., 208 Walnut st., Main 797; C1134. (76)

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ASH PITS, STEEL TANKS

Galvanized steel sanitary ash pits and steel tanks for every purpose; guaranteed. Central 2907L. COX & NEEL STEEL TANK CO., 1441-1443-1445 Gratiot. (62)

ASH PITS, TANKS, CISTERNS

Steel corrugated, galvanized, sanitary; warranted. O. K. HARRY STEEL WORKS, Jefferson and Papin. (8)

BILLIARD and pool tables, new and second-hand; easy payments; bowling alleys, billiard and bowling supplies. Reversible Billiard Co., Kosciusko and Zepp. (62)

BOWLING ALLEYS—Two; for sale at a sacrifice. 2338 Olive. Bomont 2807, Central 4228. (62)

CASH REGISTERS, slightly used; take a tip from us: Before buying a second-hand cash register, look over our stock; it will mean a saving to you; largest stock, greatest variety, fully guaranteed; sold on easy monthly payments. The National Cash Register Co., 310 N. 8th st. (61)

CASH REGISTERS—Second-hand; we buy and sell cash registers. We can sell you a better cash register for less money than anyone in St. Louis. Every register guaranteed for two years. Cash or monthly payments. American Second-Hand Cash Register Co., 1009 Pine st.; phones Kinloch Central 2196, Bell Olive 355. (61)

COAL—Buy now from Johnson Coal Co.; Standard, 10½c; Mt. Olive, 12c, delivered. Central 5612, Main 2616A. (15)

COAL DEALERS, ATTENTION

30,000 bundles dry kindling wood, 4½ feet long; clean wood, no bark. JOHN MEYER, 2666 Lucas av. Central 597. Bomont 1711. (62)

COFFEE MILLS—For sale, second-hand coffee mills, in good condition; cheap. 404 N. 3d st. (62)

CONTRACTORS specify Witte gasoline engines because they are properly constructed and do good work. Write for particulars. Witte Iron Works Co., 542 West 5th st., Kansas City, Mo.

CORD WOOD. CORD WOOD.

Cut any length, for stoves or furnaces. JOHN MEYER, 2666 Lucas av. Central 597. Bomont 1711. (62)

DIAMONDS, watches, jewelry, shotguns, revolvers and all other unredeemed pawnbroker pledges for sale cheap; big bargains. A. S. Levi, pawnbroker, 617 Franklin. (8)

GO-CART—For sale, leather folding go-cart; first-class condition; cheap. 3967A Blaine.

KINDLING. KINDLING.

300 loads nice and clean kindling, stove lengths, $1.50 a load and up, delivered. JOHN MEYER, 2666 Lucas av. Central 597. Bomont 1711. (62)

STOVES AND RANGES.

Steel ranges, 16-inch oven and six No. 8 cover and warming closet, $25; Quick Meal, Superior, Charter Oak, Never Break, blue enameled ranges.

Radiant Home and Peninsular baseburners; Charter Oak, Superior and Moore's airtight heaters.

A large variety of hot-blast heaters. We can save you 25 per cent on any stove or range.

Don't miss this, as these cut prices will last but a short time, as we are overstocked.

All kinds of stove and furnace repairs.

A. H. GRUNDLER, 1018-20 Cass av. (92)

Lake Superior High-Grade Coal,

Steam (pea and slack), 8c; furnace (nut chestnut, pea and slack), 10c; stove (screened nut), 12c; down-draft heaters (screened egg), 14c; hard as well as soft coal heaters (screened 4-inch lump), 16c; Lake Superior, Peerless, 6 to 12 inch lump, 18c; all cash on delivery. Kinloch Central 211, Bell Bomont 2130.

THE GREAT CENTRAL COAL CO., 506 S. Compton av. (8)

MIMEOGRAPH, ETC.—For sale, one Edison mimeograph, cost $30, take $7; several office and odd leather chairs, from $2 up; one Shaw-Walker 7-ft. cabinet, with letter files, book section, drawers and lower base, suitable for a home or office, worth $75, almost new, $27.50; one Vosburgh & Whiting massive oak vertical filing cabinet, 4 sections, 8 drawers, sells for $70; will take $27. Standard Desk Co., 1214 Pine st.

OFFICE and store fixtures bought and sold. Max Merinbaum, 811 N. 7th. Central 4796L. (8)

OVERCOAT, ETC.—Overcoat, size 42; lady's long black coat, size 38, and dresses, very cheap. 4104A Finney.

OVERCOATS—For sale, 200 overcoats, sizes 36 and 37, at $2, $3 and $4 each. Jaeger Loan and Jewelry Co., 2615-17 Olive st. (6)

PAINTS, varnishes, glass; buy from the manufacturer. National Paint Co., 1911 Park. (8)

POOL tables on time payments and rent; new and second-hand. A. E. Schmidt, 328 Market st. (62)

POOL and billiard tables for sale or rent; new and second-hand; cash or time. J. L. Fowler, 1219 Cass. Central 5224. (62)

RADIATORS—For sale, Detroit Jewel gas radiators, from World's Fair buildings; worth $10; now $2. Haas & Co., 615-617 N. 8th st. (4)

RIFLE—For sale, 32-caliber special high pressure Marlin rifle. Ad. W 7, Post-Dis. (4)

SAFES—Overstocked with second-hand safes; buy now. John Baumann Safe Co., 413 Washington av. (60)

"YOU LOOK GOOD TO DAILEY"

For credit. Why not make yourself or some one dear to you a substantial Christmas gift? Our complete line of diamonds, watches and jewelry is at your disposal. Our prices are the same as those of cash stores, our credit methods strictly confidential and our terms made to suit you. DAILEY'S, Washington, at 6th, 2d floor. Open every evening. (8)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED.

FEATHERS Wtd.—I pay 35 cents. M. Speelman, 3852A Olive st. (4)

FURNITURE taken in exchange for moving, storage, packing. Louisiana Co., Central 4214, Bomont 189. (5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—We buy furniture of all kinds; we pay the highest prices; we also do moving, packing, shipping and storage. Phone Central 5053, Bt. 399. 2004 Morgan st.; ask for Langan or Taylor. (14)

ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for household goods. Dickson, 2944 Washington. Beaumont 43. Central 8232. (8)

ABSOLUTELY best price paid for furniture, stoves, carpets, feathers. Bensinger, 2033 Franklin; Bomont 2315; Central 4265. (14)

ALL KINDS of furniture, carpets, stoves; highest prices; send postal. Bensinger, 1702 Franklin; Kinloch telephone Central 3080L. (14)

ALL kinds furniture, carpets, feather beds wanted badly; will pay good prices. Send postal to M. Damson, 811 N. 11th st., will call. (62)

ALL sell your feathers beds and pillows to Gilbert's; beds, $7 to $20, or 60c pound. Phone Central 8833. Bell Main 4812. 1419 Carr st.; postal. (8)

ANYONE having furniture to sell can make sure sale; postal. Mr. Stocker, 2009 Morgan st., or phone Bomont 685. Central 6112. (8)

BEST price for furniture, carpets and feathers. D1027; Bomont 807. Prosser, 3221 Olive. (8)

FEATHER PILLOW CO. pays highest price in city for feathers. 1111 S. Jefferson av. (5)

WE are still buying all kinds of furniture, carpets and stoves in large quantities, at top prices. Bensinger Fur. Co., 113 N. 12th st. (6)

WE PAY highest prices for household furniture, stocks in store; also entire contents of flats and residences; don't sell unless you see us; send postal to D. McCann, Leonori Auction Co., 1219 Olive st. (8)

BICYCLES.

BICYCLE—For sale, boy's new $24 bicycle for $15. Call morning at 741 Aubert av.

SAFES.

SAFE Wtd.—Second-hand; inside must be 14 in. deep, 18 in. high or larger. Ad. H 16, Post-Dispatch.

SAFES—New and second-hand; sold easy payments. J. Baum Safe and Lock Co., 1627 Chestnut st. (62)

ANIMALS.

DOGS—For sale, fine pedigreed bull terrier pups; reasonable. 4202 Delmar. (5)

PUP—For sale, fine, pedigreed 6-months-old Scotch collie pup. 3735 Connecticut.

PUPS—For sale, two Scotch collie pups, 4 months old. Apply Geo. Jenkins, 2251 I st., Granite City, Ill. (6)

PUPPIES Wtd.—Two small Japanese toy tan spaniel puppies; smooth hair. Ad. H 56, Post-Dispatch. (5)

DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, ETC.

WHEN buying Christmas gifts you would like a large variety to select from. When you consider the quality and prices of our diamonds, watches and jewelry, you will understand why we do business. A substantial present is always appreciated. A look will convince you that our quality is the highest, prices the lowest and terms the easiest. DAILEY'S, 6th and Washington, 2d floor. Open evenings. (8)

DIAMONDS—For sale, two diamonds, one 1¼ and the other nearly 1-karat, good, white stones. 3860 S. Broadway.

TO EXCHANGE.

CAMERA—To exchange for high grade camera or will sell, $30 E alto saxaphone; perfect condition. Ad. L 99, Post-Dispatch. (4)

POULTRY AND BIRDS.

HENS—For sale, 6 fine Barred Rock hens, with handsome cockerel, $8.50. Farm Poultry Co., Kirkwood, Mo.

POULTRY—For sale, Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels; fine stock; inspection invited. 3508 Pennsylvania.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

BASEBURNER—For sale, baseburner. Call 4221 Evans av.

BEDROOM SETS—For sale, antique mahogany and black walnut bedroom sets; household furniture, carpets, bedding, etc., all in good order; account breaking up housekeeping. Inquire at 1405 N. Euclid av., between Page and Easton. (5)

BED, ETC.—For sale, iron bed, with spring and mattress, $5.95; dressers, $5.95; washstands, $2.25; elegant 4-hole ranges, with high closets, fully guaranteed, $17.75; heating stoves, the Round Oak kind, as low as $2.95; reversible rugs, 9x12 feet, $3.50; Axminster rugs, 9x12 feet, $17.75; an elegant large arm rocker, $1.35; kitchen cabinet as low as $1.95; sanitary steel couches as low as $2.95; sanitary folding bed, the best make, $4.95, and a large variety of other household goods, all new, at second-hand prices. Mellis, 823 Franklin av. (14)

FROM STORAGE—Home Comfort range, Radiant Home and Wilson heaters; bargain. 2712 Franklin. (92)

FURNITURE of every description; will sell for storage charges, Monday. 2712 Franklin. (92)

FURNITURE—For sale, oak dresser, $3.50; center table, 75c. Call 4362A Easton.

FURNITURE—Great bargain, including piano, 4-room furnished flat; must sell today. Wallace, 2602 Olive st.

FURNITURE—For sale, furnishings of five-room flat, mahogany and birch sets, carpets, etc.; sacrifice; no dealers. 1153 Euclid.

FURNITURE—For sale; 4 brass bedsteads, 5 rooms, nicely furnished; will sell cheap. 5029 Delmar, first floor. (7)

FURNITURE—For sale, all kinds of misfit carpets, rugs, linoleums, furniture, stoves and ranges left for storage; will sell cheap. 1406 Franklin.

FURNITURE—For sale, 30 rooms of hotel furniture, cheap; moved to salesroom, 1137 Market st.; both phones. Central 5042R, Olive 1381. (8)

FURNITURE moved or packed for shipment; 900 storage rooms; work guaranteed; see our big stove store, the largest, best and cheapest in St. Louis. New York Storage Co., 2d and Wash sts. (61)

FURNITURE—For sale, elegant furniture, residence, parlor furniture, library suit, mahogany dining furniture, brass beds, rugs, chiffoniers, dressers, locker, mahogany, maple suits, weathered oak hall furniture; piano; sacrifice. 4940 Washington bl. (8)

FURNITURE—For sale, entire contents of exquisitely furnished house; good as the day they were bought; genuine leather parlor set, mahogany chairs and bedroom set, brass beds, dining room furniture and odd pieces, portieres and handsome rugs; will sell separately regardless of price. 4020 McPherson av. (8)

FURNITURE—For sale, bedroom suits, $6.65; double-door wardrobes, $5.75; upright folding beds, 18x40, French plate glass, $13.20; mantel folding beds, with best woven wire spring, $5.85; mirrors, 15c; iron beds, all sizes, $1.10; woven wire springs, 50c; pictures, 20c; pillows, 25c; hardcoal baseburners, $12.40; airtight heaters, $10.52; hot-blast heaters, $7.85; steel ranges, $10; cook stoves, $5.20; laundry stoves, $2.85; gas heaters, $1.50; gas stoves, $1; Brussels rugs, $6.60; ingrain rugs, $2.65; linoleum, 30c yard; matting, 10c yard; shades, 15c; wood davenports, $10; somersault davenports, $18; iron davenports, with pad, $8.00; odd washstands, $1.50; odd dressers, $4.50; cash or easy payments. 1219-1221-1223 Spruce st., second floor. (59)

GRAPHOPHONE, ETC.—For sale, Columbia graphophone, cost $50, with 60 choice records, used two months; folding bed, 1 ler couch and dining table; all first-class new. Call between 3 and 5 p. m., Chippewa.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, entire contents of 6-room flat; will sell separately; leaving city. 2823 Morgan. (7)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Must be sold at once, before 15th, all the elegant, new furnishings of my residence; will sell separately; oak dining room suit bookcase, library table, mahogany leather chairs and rockers; lovely parlor suit, music cabinet, beautiful rugs, large and small dressers, chiffoniers, brass beds, draperies, fine mirror, pictures, my new $450 upright piano for less than $200; also horse, runabout and harness; all above at a big sacrifice; house for rent. 3803 Delmar bl. (5)

RANGES—For sale, a Majestic steel range; also a Quick Meal gas range, cheap. 4604 McPherson av.

STOVE—For sale, Victor Superior cook stove, in No. 1 condition, for $5. 3124A Texas.

STOVES—For sale, one 6-hole Imperial range and one cannon stove; cheap; in good order. Call 3849 Olive.

STOVES—For sale, 3 soft coal stoves, one small hard coal stove; reasonable. 2833 Morgan st.

STOVES—For sale, 3 good heating stoves, hard coal; must be sold; reasonable. 2612 Park.

ABSOLUTELY the largest assortment of used ranges, heaters and cook stoves in the city; easy payments if desired. 3221 Olive. (8)

OUR LOCATION SAVES YOU MONEY

We are headquarters for slightly used and new furniture at half the regular price; we can save you 30 per cent on the dollar on all goods bought from us. This week we have for sale the contents of 14 nicely furnished flats; also goods from seven houses and eight choice lots from storage; three carloads of new furniture, bought for 50c on the dollar; we handle everything in the furniture line, from kitchen to parlor; we have three pianos that must be sold this week to pay storage. EDW. A. LANGAN FURNITURE CO., 2004 Morgan st. (14)

FURNISHED HOUSES, FLATS.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, furniture to furnished 3-room flat. 2621 Prairie av. (4)

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, nicely furnished 5-room flat; bargain. 3014 Franklin av. (2)

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, 6-room furnished flat, 824 N. Channing; inquire 2d floor.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, furnished 3 room flat; everything new and first-class; will sell cheap; leaving city. 4316 Lucky st.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, contents of elegant 4-room flat. Call before 10 a. m. or after 3 p. m. 1908 N. Grand, 3d floor. (5)

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale; on Olive st., west of Grand av.; a beautiful hot-water heated home of 8 rooms; has been a private home for years and equipped with every possible convenience for comfort that can be devised; moving into new home and will take most of the furniture with us and only desire to sell very little; to a person desiring to obtain a handsome home with very little money this opportunity presents itself; the most exacting references will be given and asked and although not much money is wanted the party intending buying must give references as to responsibility and character; as we desire nothing but a reputable tenant, furniture speculators and others of that order will kindly not investigate. Call at 1214 Pine st. for particulars. (4)

OLIVE, 4269—Beautifully furnished steam-heated flat, at once; full of roomers; optional. (5)

PATENTS AND PENSIONS.

PENSIONS—Advice free; stenography reporting and all notary business. 210 Possent Bldg., 821 Chestnut st. (62)

SEWING MACHINES.

SEWING MACHINES—For sale, drop-head Singer, New Home and Domestic, $10; drop-head Wheeler & Wilson, $20; high-arm machines, $3 up; repairing and renting a specialty. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 3138 Easton.

ALL makes sewing machine, cash or time; $1 down, 50c a week, $5 and up; repairs, $1. D. G. Sheridan, 816 N. 6th st., Kinloch Central 5422R. (8)

SEWING MACHINES sold at cut prices this week: Domestic, $25; Singer, $23; New Home, $23; all three machines are drop-heads and are guaranteed for 5 years; Wilcox & Gibbs at $25; all machines slightly used, from $3 to $15; all makes of machines repaired for $1; parts for all machines. H. Mines, 1525 S. Broadway, Main R301; Sidney 996. (92)

HIGH ARM MACHINE, $2 up; rent 50c per week; repairing reasonable. 2902 Easton av., Beaumont 2093. (92)

10c A DAY buys any make of machine at 1210 Franklin av. (8)

$2 RENTS any machine for one month, at 1210 Franklin av. (8)

$15 BUYS a Singer, Wheeler & Wilson, White, Domestic, New Home and other makes. Call at once and get the biggest bargain ever offered in a machine; machines rented $2 per month; all makes repaired for $1. New Home Sewing Machine Parlors, 1210 Franklin. Main 2778; Central 5500. (8)

TYPEWRITERS.

TYPEWRITER—For sale, Remington typewriter, No. 6, in good condition; bargain. Call at 3027 Laclede. (4)

FOR bargains in all typewriters, address THE TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE, 208 N. 9th st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

REMINGTON, Smith, Oliver, Underwood typewriters, $25 to $50; others, $15; rentals, $2 months, $5. St. Louis Typewriter Exchange, 812 Olive st. (7)

MACHINERY.

FOR SALE.

ENGINE—For sale, 7-horsepower horizontal gas engine, slightly used; in good condition; will sell cheap. Frelich Cloak and Suit Co., s. w. cor. 14th and Locust. (5)

WANTED.

SCRAP IRON, ETC. Wtd.—Write for prices. B. B. Steiner, 509 S. 4th st. (62)

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

BOOKS bought, sold or exchanged; catalogue free. Linahan Book Co., 321 Market st. (8)

BOOKS of all kinds bought and sold; call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 607 Chestnut st. (8)

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE—Showcases, wallcases, electric fans; cheap. 1602 Market st. (8)

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

WANTED.

HORSES Wtd.—To buy black horse, or team of bays. Phone Dr. Housh, East St. Louis.

HORSES Wtd.—To buy 4 or 5 good horses for laundry use; must weigh 1200 pounds. 3165 Laclede.

MULES Wtd.—In good flesh. Maher Sale Stable, 1525 N. Broadway. (56)

WAGON Wtd.—Good grocery wagon; must be cheap. 3500 Cass av., telephone Lindell 4600.

FOR SALE.

BUGGIES, ETC.—Bargains in storm buggies, surreys, park, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, peddler, carpenter and light cigar advertising wagons; also truck spring stake wagons. N. B. Schuster, 1625-29 Wash. (92)

BUGGIES, ETC.—For sale, reliable storm buggies, peddling, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, carpenter, painter, whitener, plasterer, plumber, tinner; platform top wagons and truck spring stake wagons; $55 to $225. John Tobinka 1340-1342 N. 7th st. (15)

BUGGY—For sale, storm buggy; latest style; rubber tires; nearly new; cheap. 1107 Clark. (6)

DELIVERY WAGONS AND NEVER-OUT LAMPS, open and panel-top delivery wagons, carpenter and tinner wagons, storm buggies, surreys, runabouts and spiders. Deeds & Manley, 121-127 S. 7th st., opposite Elm. (61x)

HARNESS—For sale, 2d-hand; double, $9; single, $4; collars, $1; bridles, $1. 4563 North Market st.

HORSE—For sale; good. 7800 Minnesota. (4)

HORSES—For sale, 3 work or delivery horses, mare in foal by jack. 1613 S. 13th. (4)

HORSE—For sale, cheap. Call at 5041 S. Grand. (6)

HORSE—For sale, black horse, for wagon; cheap. Dowling & Co., 2223 Franklin. (5)

HORSE—For sale, one heavy dray horse. Apply 1523 N. 13th. (2)

HORSE—For sale, a horse, young and cheap, $35. 3042 Easton av.

HORSES—For sale, 3 good horses; good pullers. Apply 4113 N. Broadway.

HORSES—For sale, nice 4-year-old delivery horse, $65; big work horse, $55. 1724 Elliot.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, 10 horses and mares, $15 up; selling out; grocery, 2137 Franklin.

HORSE—For sale, fine delivery horse, weight 1300; chance to get good horse cheap. 1113 Franklin av. (8)

HORSES—Western express Co. sell 8 horses, various sizes, and mules; $10 up. 904 N. Jefferson.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, covered delivery wagon, harness and 10-year-old horse, $125. 3327 Easton.

HORSES—For sale, two good 1100-pound delivery or driving horses; must sell at once. 3039 Washington.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, horse, two sets of harness, runabout, wagon; $100. Decker's stable, 19th and Chestnut. (5)

HORSES—For sale, big team work horses, $65; team small mules, $50. Coal yard, 2126 Randolph.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, 2 fast delivery horses, coal wagon; a bargain. 1447A Blair av. (6)

HORSES, ETC.—Selling out, horses, top buggy, harness and coal wagon; horses work anywhere; will trade for chickens. 4510 Natural Bridge rd.

HORSE—Stylish black surrey or buggy horse; 16¼ hands; gentle and easy driver; cheap; must sell. Heier's Stable, 3432 Shenandoah. See Jake. (76)

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, extra good horse, 16 hands, 6 years, south, weight 1350, work single or double, give trial, $185; good storm buggy horse, $135; extra good, delivery horse, $75; phone Victor 1022L, or call. 6112 Virginia. (6)

MARE, ETC.—For sale, delivery mare, two good teams, big horse, $25; selling out. 1621 Franklin.

MULES, ETC.—For sale, four large draft mules, four farm mares, four large draft horses. 2634 Morgan st.

MULES—Eighty head of good young work mules for sale. Apply to Kenefick & Co., Indianapolis, Ind. (6)

PEDDLER'S OUTFIT—For sale; horse, harness, wagon, license. Call after 6 o'clock. Smith, 2647 Olive st. (6)

SADDLE—For sale, lady's saddle; almost new; reasonable. 3434 Laclede.

STORM BUGGY—For sale, new, hand-made rubber-tired storm buggy, cost $240; sell $125. 3319 Laclede. (6)

TEAMS, ETC.—For sale, three good work teams, large work mule, stylish driving horse, large work mare, delivery horses, harness, wagon. 2725 Clark av.

WAGON—For sale, top delivery; good as new; very cheap. 813 Cass. (92)

WAGON—For sale, fine new park wagon, with top and two seats. 813 Cass. (92)

WAGON—For sale, first-class express wagon; in good condition. 2912 Washington.

WAGON—For sale, spring wagon, good as new, must sell; good for butcher, plumber, tinner, etc. 1830 Dolman st. (7)

AUTOMOBILES.

RUNABOUT Wtd.—An electric runabout; must be in first-class condition. Ad. M. A. S., care of Seed Dry Plate Co., Station 19, St. Louis, Mo. (1)

FINE garage; large vehicle space; excellent driveway; living rooms. "The Lexington," Grand and Morgan. (7)

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BUSINESS CHANCE—Good office man with $10,000 can secure good position with an old-established manufacturing company by communicating with the address below. Ad. A 188, Post-Dispatch.

BAKERS—We seel movable brick bake ovens; guaranteed satisfactory; for cash or on time payments. Middleby Oven Mfg. Co., 216 Walnut st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

BECK TUNNEL—A Utah listed dividend-paying mining stock will advance, now selling $1.00; pays 4 cents monthly dividend. Child Cole Co., brokers, Salt Lake City, Utah. Advises its purchase. Write for letter on Utah investments.

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419 N. Main st., Goldfield, Nev.

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Of $15,000 profit annually at present time offered to right party with $10,000 cash or approved collateral to join me in managing my extensive life insurance agency for one of the standard old-line life insurance companies in Arizona, New Mexico and West Texas, with headquarters at El Paso; present agency producing $1,500,000 of clean, paid for business annually; present renewal income, with other assets, worth over $32,000; will sell one-half interest to good man, possessing good health and habits, not too old, who can produce personal business and manage agents. Parties interested please call 414 Chemical Bldg. After Dec. 8 ad. El Paso, Tex., S. C. Pandolfo.

BUSINESS WANTED.

BUSINESS Wtd.—Architectural work; complete plans and specifications, for 1 per cent. Ad. H 33, Post-Dispatch.

CHIMNEYS repaired; guarantee to make them draw; postals. Mueninghaus, 2307 Sidney. (5)

DRUGGIST and physician wants work in store; will buy if satisfactory; references exchanged. 4371A North Market. (76)

GROCERY Wtd.—Would invest about $1000 and service in established grocery and meat market. Ad. W 8, Post-Dispatch. (4)

NOTION STORE, ETC. Wtd.—Small notion store, confectionery; $150. 305 N. Ewing.

IF you want your lawn fertilized or sodded, first-class work only, write to Sibley & Martin, 6226 Spencer pl.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

BAKERY, ETC.—For sale, well-established bakery and confectionery; good chance for a hustler. 2121 Cass av.

BARBER SHOP—For sale; owner leaving town. 4482 Delmar bl. (4)

BARBER SHOP—We offer one of the largest and best-paying downtown barber shops in St. Louis for sale; it will cost you $2000; $500 down and balance on time; pay for itself in six months; present owner is not a barber and cannot handle it. THE SMALL INVESTMENT CO., 902 Chestnut st. (7)

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale; 9 rooms; rent $25; well furnished; filled with good paying people; price $380; terms. 3213 Lucas. (4)

BUSINESS—For sale, an established specialty business (incorporated); large profits; owner leaving city and must sell. See Mr. Caldwell, 706 Victoria Bldg., between 12 and 1 o'clock. (8)

CONFECTIONERY—For sale; established 5 years; leaving city; must sell; bargain. 1012 S. 18th st.

CONFECTIONERY, fruits and lunch stand; clearing $80 month; price for stock, fixtures and building, $250; owner compelled to sell. THE SMALL INVESTMENT CO., 902 Chestnut. (5)

CONFECTIONERY, ETC.—On account of owner having other interests requiring attention, will sell at a sacrifice handsomely fitted soda, confectionery and light-lunch business; location one of the best and business growing fast; this is a bonanza for someone. Ad. L 159, Post-Dispatch. (4)

DRUG STORE—For sale; $6000; bargain; city. TIMBERMAN, ROTH & CO., 1227 Market st. (4)

GROCERY—For sale; in suburbs; no fixtures to buy. Ad. H 43, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—For sale, grocery and butcher shop; cash counter trade. 708 N. High.

GROCERY — For sale, corner grocery; all cash trade; at a bargain. 2800 Texas. (62)

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

GROCERY—For sale, good corner and doing a nice business, at a bargain if sold at once. 2023 N. 13th st.

GROCERY—Fine corner grocery, doing good business; will sell below invoice price; call at once. WEST END REALTY, 810 Olive, room 205.

HOTEL—For sale, hotel; cash or easy payments; will trade for vacant property or rent; an excellent proposition to the right party; located East St. Louis. Call Bell phone East 349 or Kinloch St. Clair 1200R or address Lansdowne Realty Co., French Village, Ill. R. F. D. 3. (4)

LIVERY STABLE—For sale or lease; easy terms. 2929 S. Jefferson. (1)

LODGING HOUSE—For sale; all iron beds; sell cheap. 509 Spruce st.

LUNCH STAND—For sale. 600 S. 3d st.

LUNCHROOM—Chile stand; $50, balance to suit, takes this best city located, in midst of select rooming, family, transient trade district; near clubs, skating, dance halls; rent $6; receipts $14 to $25; investigate this unusual offer; leaving city. 3214B Olive.

MARKET, ETC.—For sale or rent, meat market and grocery store; terms reasonable. Apply 2922 Olive st. (6)

MEAT MARKET—For sale; sales $40 per day; must sell at once. 2019 S. Vandeventer. (4)

MEAT MARKET—$175 will buy meat and vegetable market; all cash counter trade; leaving city. 1901 Biddle st.

MEAT MARKET—For sale, well-paying cash meat market in good locality. Ad. L 88, Post-Dispatch. (5)

MEAT MARKET—For sale, meat market, complete fixtures; $30 day cash trade; bargain; $300. 1328 Morgan st. (7)

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ACADEMY of Prof. Frankel, 1441 Chouteau; join beginners' class Friday evening, Dec. 7; term $3; best school; attend parties Wednesday evenings. (5)

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NOTICE.
My wife, Sadie L. Mathews, having left our home without my consent or knowledge, more than a month since, and for other sufficient reasons, I hereby give notice that neither myself nor any other member of the Mathews family will pay any obligations contracted by her, either for goods purchased, money borrowed or on any account whatsoever.
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Money advanced; you can get it without security and can pay it back in small weekly or monthly installments; low rates; all business strictly confidential. 525 Mermod-Jaccard Bldg. (62)

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With our EASY to PAY PLAN of LENDING MONEY on HOUSEHOLD GOODS or anything of value, WITHOUT REMOVAL; you pay as your income will allow; STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL; no delays. Call, write or phone Central 3590 or Main 5203, and our agent will call.
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PRIVATE PARTY will loan on personal property, pianos; reasonable interest. Ad. H. 21, Post-Dispatch.

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Advanced salaried people without security; my rates the lowest, best and most private in the city. Call at 322-3-4 Chemical Bldg. (8)

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ON ANYTHING, ANYWHERE AND ANY TIME and to any respectable person. Furniture, pianos, horses and anything of value taken as security. Loans may be repaid weekly, monthly or yearly. No inquiries are made that embarrass your social standing or impair your credit. Papers may be signed at your home or my private office and are not recorded. If you want LEGITIMATE and CONFIDENTIAL transactions and liberal terms, call, write or telephone and I can make loans immediately.
R. C. WOODS, 810 CHESTNUT ST., BELL OLIVE 1312. CENTRAL 2326. (8)

SECURITY FINANCE CO., room 2, 3d floor Equitable Bldg., 6th and Locust, buys salaries and secures loans on life insurance policies at low rates. Phone Central 5361. (8)

MONEY advanced to salaried people without security; no delay or publicity. Room 31 De Menil Bldg. (14)

EVERYBODY DOES IT
But nobody knows it, if we make you a loan. Money loaned on furniture or pianos, without removal. Lowest rates. Weekly, monthly or quarterly payments. Courteous treatment. Write or phone and we will call and explain, or arrange for loan at your residence. Phones, Bell Main 5756—Kinloch Central 5994.
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DO YOU NEED MONEY
To prepare for the winter? If so, we will loan you what you want on your FURNITURE OR PIANO without removal, at a reasonable rate of interest; you can pay us back by small monthly payments. NO PUBLICITY. NO TROUBLE. Just give us your name and address and we will do the rest. If you cannot call, write or phone Central 2235 or Main 2833 and our confidential agent will call. Papers can be signed at home.
FIDELITY R. E. & BROKERAGE CO., Room 410 Commonwealth Trust Bldg., Entrance to building, 421 Olive st. (14)

Real Estate

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR SALE.

HOUSES—For sale, suburban houses and lots a specialty. Ad. T. Smith, Old Orchard, Mo. (8)

WHEN looking for a suburban home or a farm do not overlook Kirkwood—Beautiful Kirkwood—and its surrounding country. I have what you want. Write for catalogue. BENJ. F. THOMAS, Kirkwood, Mo. (8)

FOR SALE
Cottage, almost new, of three large rooms, bearing fruit trees; two-story stable for four horses, buggy shed, hen house, well and cistern; price, $1600; part cash, balance time; take Broadway car to Baden, get transfer at Waterworks and ride to cement factory, walk two blocks north to Glendale av., Prospect Hill; owner lives in house; 5c fare.
CHAS. F. VOGEL, 624 Chestnut st.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

LOTS—For sale, two lots, Kinloch Park, or trade for team of mules or horses. 3327 Easton.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

3961 Westminster Place.
Elegant, modern 11-room residence; every convenience; to be put in first-class repair; open afternoons.
C. W. BARNES, 715 Chestnut st. (4)

FOR RENT.

3824 Westminster, 12 rooms	$100 00
3732 West Pine, 10 rooms	83 33
4036 Delmar, 12 rooms	60 00
3867 Windsor, 6 rooms	30 00
4430 Lindell, 13 rooms	150 00

Commonwealth Trust Co., Broadway and Olive.

ONE MONTH FREE.
Modern 9-room house, in first-class condition, on Maryland av.; one month free rent to first-class tenant.
DYAS REALTY CO., 107 N. 9th st.

HOUSE.

5701 Vernon av., 9 rooms, bath, furnace, in good repair	$50 00
FLATS.	
4342 Olive st., 6 rooms, bath and furnace	35 00
5106A Easton av., 5 rooms, bath and furnace	27 50
3100 N. Taylor av., 5 rooms, bath, fur.	25 00
2143 Adelaide, 5 rooms, bath, furnace	23 00

McCORMICK-KILGEN-RULE, 204 Century Bldg. (4)

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New 10-Room House
STEAM HEATED.
GAS GRATES.
HARDWOOD FLOORS.
FINEST CABINET MANTELS.
TILE BATH ROOMS AND FINEST PLUMBING.
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5099 Garfield Avenue
West St. Louis Realty Co. (62)

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Elliot av., No. 1355, two-story, six-room dwelling, separate yard, newly papered and in good condition; will give one month's rent free if taken now. Apply today. Rent only $20. McKERNAN & MOSBY, 1014 Chestnut st. (4)

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HOUSES.

3030 Bell av., 10 rooms, modern	$50 00
4163 Maryland av., 9 rooms, modern	45 00
2841 Gamble st., 3 rooms and bath; see office	
3136 Brantner pl., 6 rooms and bath	25 00
4849 Washington bl., 9 rooms, modern, see office	
4259 Morgan st., 10 rooms, modern, see office	
FLATS.	
4346 West Belle, 7 rooms, modern, fixtures, open	
2022A Wyoming st., 5 rooms, modern, furnace	24 00
4054A Evans av., 4 rooms and bath	18 00

DYAS REALTY CO., 107 N. 9th st.

FLATS FOR RENT.

New Flats, Highly Decorated.
We offer for rent in beautiful Lindell Park, Nos. 2907-07A-09 Greer av.; 4 and 5 rooms and tile bath, furnace, hot and cold water, butler's pantries, with china closets, clothes chutes, beautiful cabinet mantels, with gas grates, gas and electric light combination fixtures; separate granitoid laundries and cellars; must be seen to be appreciated; open for inspection all day; reasonable rent.
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PHYSICIANS AND DENTISTS.
Look at 4301A Laclede av. (cor. Boyle), neat 6-room flat, over drug store; every convenience; good business corner.
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FLATS—4 ROOMS $15.
4309-4311 Swan av., 1st floors; 1117 Tower Grove av., 2d floor; water and gas; key on premises.
GIRALDIN BROS., 110 N. 8th st. (6)

3555A CALIFORNIA AV.
New 5-room flat, with bath, fixtures and furnace. ANDERSON-STOCKE, 811 Chestnut.

FIVE ROOMS, $22.
3555A California av., 5 rooms and bath. ANDERSON-STOCKE, 811 Chestnut.

4113A WEST PINE BL.
Handsome 8-room modern flat; janitor service free; low rental to good tenant.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (3)

5210 McPHERSON AVENUE.
Handsome six-room steam-heated flat; hardwood floors, beamed ceiling and buffet mantel in dining room; rent reasonable.
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5980A HIGHLAND AVENUE.
Handsome 5-room new flat; furnace; beamed ceiling and plate rail in dining room; rent $25. NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (6)

1154 S. KING'S HIGHWAY.
Choice three-room modern flat; every convenience; $22.50.
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We offer for rent in beautiful Lindell Park, No. 2907-07A-09 Greer av.: 4 and 5 rooms and tile bath, furnace, hot and cold water, butler's pantries, with china closets, clothes chutes, beautiful cabinet mantels, with gas grates, gas and electric light combination fixtures; separate granitoid laundries and cellars; must be seen to be appreciated; open for inspection all day; reasonable rent.
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$23.50, Near Forest Park
Cut rent for first-class tenant: two beautiful rock-front flats, 5 and 6 rooms; artistic interior, close to King's highway.
GREER R. E. CO., 109 N. 9th st.

NO DUST, NO DIRT
From Stove or Furnace.
New Steam-Heated Flats
EVERY CONVENIENCE.
3 AND 4 ROOMS, $20.00 PER MONTH.
5106 Garfield Av. (62)

APARTMENTS.

ELEGANT APARTMENT
DELMAR AND KING'S HIGHWAY.
Only one left, containing 6 rooms, in Kingsbury Bldg.; steam heat, hot water, janitor service, quartered oak finish throughout, hard wood floors, tile bathrooms, exquisite combination fixtures, gas range, shades, decorations to suit and every modern convenience. For further particulars call or address
CLAUDE E. VROOMAN,
Phones Main 596, A 232. 8½ N. 8th st. (4)

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5260-62A-70A McPherson and 4810A Washington; elegant modern 5 and 6 room apartments containing furnace heat, janitor service, combination fixtures, screens, etc.; exclusive location.
CLAUDE E. VROOMAN, 8½ N. 8th st.
Phones Main 606, Central 880. (5)

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"FORSHAW"
Repairs for any old stove, 111 N. 12th st. Main 2043; Central 3491R. (8)

A G. BRAUER STOVE REPAIRS 316 N. 3d St (8)

REPAIRS for all stoves and ranges. Missouri Stove Repair Co., 113 N. 8th st. (8)

IMPROV'D PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Dougherty & Bush R. E. Co.
BOTH PHONES. 1013 CHESTNUT ST.
NOTHING BUT BARGAINS

ELEGANT DOUBLE FLAT ON A MADE STREET FOR $8000.
Located on Maffitt av., near Marcus, four rooms and bath each flat; property is just a few years old and is in the best of condition; must be seen to be appreciated; full particulars at office. Come early. Good things don't last long.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

Modern Dwelling on a Made Street in the West End for $4250.
Located on Belt av., near Ridge; has 7 rooms and reception hall, with bath, h. and c. water, furnace, granitoid cellar, etc.; hardwood floors downstairs; property is one year old; lot 30x125 to an alley.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

DOUBLE 3-ROOM FLAT, $39.75.
No. 2435-35A Fall av., a double two-story brick flat building; four families, 3 rooms each; rent $504 a year; this is a bargain; no better investment in the city.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

3-ROOM BRICK FLAT, $2500.
Located at 6323-23A Bartmer av. It is a 2-story brick at building in first class condition; has 3 rooms and bath each floor. You can live in part of this flat and the rent from the other part will pay all expenses.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

TOWER GROVE HEIGHTS.
New brick flat; 5 and 6 rooms and baths; modern and always rented; for $4500; lot 25x120. DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

GOOD FUTURE.
2808 N. Broadway, lot 20x160; 2-story dwelling, 6 rooms, and the price is $5000.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

OWNER SAYS TO SELL.
As he is leaving the city. This elegant home at 3129 Laclede av.; 3-story brick stone front; 8 rooms and bath; modern conveniences and all improvements made; lot 24x128. Price, $4350. DOUGHERTY & BUSCH R. E. CO.

A BARGAIN IF SOLD AT ONCE.
2105 N. Thirteenth st., 2-story brick flat; 4 rooms each floor; all improvements made, and in first-class condition, for $3250.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

Best Rental Property in the City.
1219-21 North Market, double 2-story brick of 12 rooms, in first-class condition; lot 25x110. Price $3000. Get card of admission.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE.
New 2-story brick flat of 4 and 5 rooms and baths; gas stove and fixtures; also gas grates and furnace; in West End. Price, $5250. See us for card of admission.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

Just the Place for a Small Family.
Two-story brick of 6 rooms and bath; improvements made; also stable for six horses; home is located in northern part of city. Price $2500. DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

CAN YOU BEAT THIS?
Three-story brick residence in central West End of 8 rooms and bath; reception hall, hardwood floors, furnace, gas and electric fixtures; large stable; lot 32x140, and price only $6800. DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

STEAM-HEATED FLATS.
5100 block Fairmount av., 5 and 6 rooms; bath, gas, street and alley made; rent $1320 year; lot 30x155; this is strictly modern; separate heating plant for each flat. Price $8750.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO.

SOUTH KING'S HIGHWAY.
New 4 and 4 room new brick double flat, with bath, modern; rents $1080 year; furnace, gas, etc.; lot 45x160. Price $8750.
DOUGHERTY & BUSH R. E. CO., 1013 Chestnut st.

HOUSE—For sale, 6-room house; $100 down and $15 per month; close to car line and school and church; come quick. Ad. H 35, Post-Dispatch.

For Teamster or Contractor
1819 Geyer av., 2-story brick, 10 rooms, front and side lawn, two-story brick house in rear, with 8 rooms, stable for 6 horses; lot 50x165; price cut to $6700; see us.
HY. HIEMENZ R. CO., Agt., 614 Chestnut.

Best Purchase on Washington Avenue East of Fifteenth St.
We have just been authorized to offer a 3-story business building on Washington av., between 14th and 15th sts., with lot 27x31, for $69,000. This is a good purchase. For further particulars call on us.
J. M. LEVI & CO., 814 Chestnut st.

1609 OLIVE ST.
LOT—25x109—GOOD BUILDING.
AT LESS THAN $1200 PER FOOT.
Best Bargain Downtown.
Over $5,000,000 Being Spent
On new commercial buildings on adjoining block west and north.
SEE THIS AT ONCE, AS IT WILL SELL THIS WEEK.
GRIFFIN REAL ESTATE CO., 1111 CHESTNUT ST.

WIFE'S XMAS GIFT.
INCOME WILL MAKE NICE PIN MONEY.
La Salle st., 3112; 6 2-room and 1 3-room apartment; rent $54 per month; price $4500.
Rutger st., 3133; 8-room house, now rented to two families, large stable in rear; lot 25'x127'6" to alley.
KEANE & FRANKE, 1008 Chestnut st. (6)

MAKE YOUR RENT RECEIPTS PURCHASE YOU A HOME
Neat, Well-Built 4 and 5 Room Houses
WITH BATHS AND CLOSETS.
Morgan Ford Road and Fyler Av.
Take Tower Grove cars to Morgan Ford Road, walk six blocks south.
Houses from $1750 to $2200.
Terms—$200 cash, balance only $15 per month. This is less than they would rent for.
See salesmen at the houses.
Open today.
Aiple & Hemmelmann R. E. Co.
622 CHESTNUT ST. (5)

OH, LOOK AT THIS SNAP!
5843 THEODOSIA AV., a modern, 5-6 room flat, street and sidewalk made; lot 25x125; price $4250; $500 cash; balance $25 per month.
CAULFIELD & LEWIS, Agents, 706 Chestnut St.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE
Dwelling of 10 rooms, and modern; in western part of city; near Taylor av.; will exchange equity for vacant lot or smaller property or small farm.
RUTLEDGE & KILPATRICK REALTY CO., 717 Chestnut.

5-Room Flats For Rent
We have for rent new five-room flats, southeast corner Vernon and Walton Avenues. Every room outside room, tiled bathroom, beamed ceiling in dining room; splendid furnace; decorated to suit tenant. Open for inspection. Will make special inducements for good tenant. Convenient to Suburban and Page Avenue lines.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut St.
Both Phones.

NEGRO OFFICERS BLAMED BY TAFT

Says They Should Have Discovered Brownsville Rioters.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Much space was given to a defense and explanation of the course of the War Department in connection with the discharge of the negro troops stationed at Brownsville, Tex., last summer, by Secretary Taft in his annual report. The Secretary is very severe in his condemnation of the noncommissioned officers of the Twenty-fifth Battalion for failing to discover and report the perpetrators of the outrage, and of the enlisted men of the battalion who, by maintaining their silence, when, as he says, they must have known the guilty parties, connived at the crime.

He insists that no obligation of comradeship should have prevented the men from telling the truth, but indicates that such of them as are guiltless may be re-enlisted.

Mr. Taft gives an account of the raid of the town by from nine to twenty members of the company, describing how they entered the town and of the various outrages committed there, during which one man, a bartender, was killed and several others were wounded.

He says that since the occurrence every effort has been made by the commissioned officers and a competent military inspector to find some clew by which those who committed the crime could be detected and that all members of the battalion were advised that if evidence as to the identity of those who committed the crime was not forthcoming the entire company would be discharged. And when the evidence was not forthcoming the company was discharged.

He declares the Government is not helpless and does not have to keep in service a battalion of which many of its members show their willingness to condone a crime of a capital character, and says that when these men enlisted they took an oath of allegiance to the Government and were to be used under the law to maintain its supremacy.

Mr. Taft says, further, that although there may be a number of men in the battalion who do not know who the guilty men are, it is no reason why the Government should continue to use it to guard communities of men, women and children when it contains so dangerous an element impossible of detection. When a man enlists in the army, continues the Secretary, he knows that the Government reserves the right to discharge him, not as a punishment, but for public safety or interest. Mr. Taft declares that the only way of ridding the military service of a band of would-be murderers of women and children, and actual murderers of one man, was the discharge of the entire battalion.

The Secretary concludes by saying that the suggestion made that the battalion has been treated in this manner simply because it happened to be composed of negroes hardly merited notice, and that if, in the future, evidence is adduced that will tend to exculpate entirely some of the men discharged, they will be eligible to re-enlistment.

WOUNDS WOMAN, ROBS STATION

Kansas Bandit, Probably Fugitive Soldier, Attacks Night Operator.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6.—A robber early today rendered Miss Zona Heckert, the night operator at De Soto, Kan., 24 miles southwest of Kansas City, on the Santa Fe, unconscious with a blow from a wagon spoke, robbed the depot money drawer of what small change it contained and escaped.

Miss Heckert was found unconscious, lying near the station. There were three cuts on her head and her arm had been broken in three places. A stained spoke was found near by. She recovered consciousness later and said her assailant was a white man, about 25 years old.

The description fits that of Leonard D. Conner, a private in Company I, Engineer Corps, who escaped yesterday from the Federal Military Prison at Fort Leavenworth.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Missouri—Rain Thursday night and Friday; much colder Thursday night; cold wave in northwest portion.

Iowa—Fair Thursday night and Friday; decidedly colder Thursday night; cold wave; warmer in west portion Friday.

South Dakota—Fair Thursday night and Friday; warmer.

Nebraska—Fair Thursday night and Friday; colder Thursday night, with cold wave in east and south portions; warmer Friday.

Kansas—Fair Thursday night and Friday; colder Thursday night, with cold wave in north portion; warmer Friday.

Illinois—Fair Thursday night and Friday; much colder; cold wave in northwest portion.

IMPROVED PROPERTY FOR SALE

FLAT—For sale, new single flat, brick; 4 rooms down and 5 up; bath, furnace, separate laundry and furnaces; lot 170 feet deep; West End; rent $480; price $4000. Ad. P 109, Post-Dispatch.

BIG BARGAIN—PAGE BL. HOME
Price Cut---Owner Says Sell
If you want a bargain in a fine home on the best part of Page boulevard, buy 5144 Page bl., between Academy and Union boulevard. The house is a 3-story, 9-room brick, with reception hall, splendid furnace, slate roof and all modern conveniences. Price $5800. Terms to suit. Call or write for card of admission.
GRIFFIN REAL ESTATE CO., 1111 Chestnut. (4)

HOUSE—$100 down, balance monthly, buys this elegant home; 6 rooms; price $1900. 4238 Margaretta av., near the corner of Red Bud. (5)

HOUSE—$100 down, balance monthly buys this elegant improved home; price $1900. 4238 Margaretta, corner Red Bud. Call and investigate. (5)

TO LET FOR BUS. PURPOSES

Store For Rent
5012 Delmar bl., corner of King's highway, new, modern, steam-heated store; reasonable rent; any first-class business; open. CLAUDE E. VROOMAN,
Phones Main 596, Central 880. 8½ N. 8th. (4)

STORE FOR RENT.
La Salle st., 3039, corner Cardinal av.; large, new store, suitable for any retail business; five rooms above; rent low.
KEANE & FRANKE, 1008 Chestnut st. (6)

STORE AND ROOMS.
Special inducements for some good tenant wishing to run notion store and live in rooms in rear. Look at 4650 Olive st.; has steam heat; fine light; location.
DYAS REALTY CO., 107 N. 9th st.

Store and Factory
117 N. Main st. (between Pine and Chestnut); three-story building, store and fine office in rear; three floors; excellent condition and fine light.
GREER R. E. CO., 109 N. 9th st.

PROP'TY OUT OF CITY FOR SALE.

REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT.
We have real estate investments from $200 upward that will return large profits on money; no chance of loss. Address INDEPENDENCE COUNTY BANK AND TRUST CO., Batesville, Arkansas. (8)

PROPERTY—St. Louis County, from 1 to 200 acres. B. C. STEVENS, Clayton, Mo. (8)

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Which will you have?

A Doll for the Girl
A Knife for the Boy

With every purchase of $1.00 or over of Girls' or Boys' shoes in Our Little Folks' Parlor.



For the Girls



Brandt's

619-623 N. Broadway

WHEAT MARKET FIRM AND HIGHER

Prices Advanced Steadily, Closing Fractionally Higher—Strength at Minneapolis the Feature.

The local wheat market was again broad and active Thursday, acting under much the same influences which prevailed Wednesday. The buying power was good and generous and prices were bid up steadily, closing ½c higher for December, 5@5½c higher for May, and 5c higher for July options. Corn was strong all day, closing ½c higher for December and 1-16c higher for May and July options. Oats closed ½c higher for December option and ¼c higher for May. The predominating feature in the local market was the very strong market at Minneapolis.

December wheat opened ½c higher at 73½c and closed at 73⅝c sellers. May option opened ⅝c higher at 77⅜c, went as low as 77⅛c, advanced to 78¼c and closed at 7.6@ 78¼c asked. July option opened ⅝c higher at 76⅜c, advanced to 76¾c and closed at 76⅝c.

May corn opened a shade lower at 417⅛c and closed at 420@421c bid. December option opened ⅛c higher at 40⅜c, went as low as 40⅛c and closed at 40⅝c. July closed slightly higher at 42⅝c bid.

December oats opened ⅛c higher at 33¼c and closed at 33½c bid. May opened a shade lower at 34⅞c and closed at 35@35⅛c bid.

Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Yest'day	Year ago.
Wheat	3,683,208	3,767,019	2,038,617
Corn	30,527	27,726	208,220
Oats	758,278	854,717	849,430
No. 2 red wheat	2,370,653	2,370,378	620,119
No. 2 hard wheat	426,331	425,264	597,022
No. 2 mixed corn	1,162	1,645	53,362
No. 2 white corn	9,546	9,108	14,686

New York Stock Quotations.

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 N. Fourth street.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.

STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Noon
Allis-Chalmers com	16¾	.....	.....	16¾
do preferred	44¾	.....	.....	44¾
Am. C. and F. Co. com	45½	45½	45¼	45⅜
Steel Foundry com	16¾	.....	.....	16¾
do preferred	47	.....	.....	47
Locomotive com	74⅜	.....	.....	74⅜
Am. Smelter com	153¾	153¾	152¾	152¾
American Sugar	136¼	136¼	134⅜	134⅜
Am. Woolen com	34	34	33	33
do preferred	103	.....	.....	103
Amalgamated Copper	113⅜	113⅝	113⅜	113⅝
Am. Hide and Leath.	7	.....	.....	7
Am. Tobacco pfd	98½	.....	.....	98½
do 4s	77½	77⅝	77½	77⅝
Consolidated Gas	138¾	.....	.....	138¾
Colo. Fuel and Iron	56½	56⅝	55⅝	56⅛
Cent. Leath. com	37¼	37¼	37	37
Dis. Sec. Cor.	71⅛	71½	71	71
General Electric	177¼	177½	177	177
Int. Paper com	18¾	.....	.....	18¾
Nat. Lead com	76	76	75⅛	75⅛
Nat. Biscuit com	78½	.....	.....	78½
North American	90	.....	.....	90
Pacific Mail	41⅞	42	41¾	41¾
People's Gas	92⅝	92⅝	92½	92½
Pullman	181¾	.....	.....	181¾
Rep. Iron & Steel com	38½	.....	.....	38½
do preferred	101	.....	.....	101
Ry. Steel Spgs com	56⅜	56⅝	56¼	56¼
Sloss-Sheffield	75	.....	.....	75
Tenn. Coal and Iron	163	.....	.....	163
U. S. Rubber	51⅜	.....	.....	51⅜
U. S. Cast I. P. & F.	45	.....	.....	45
U. S. Steel common	48¾	48¾	48	48¼
do preferred	105	105	104⅞	104⅞
do 5s	97⅞	97⅞	97⅝	97⅝
Va. Coal and Coke	92	92	90½	91
Va.-Carolina C. Co.	40	40	39½	39½
Westinghouse	154	.....	.....	154
Atchison common	104⅝	104⅝	103⅞	103⅝
do preferred	101⅞	101⅞	101⅜	101⅜
B. & O.	119	119	118⅝	118⅝
B. R. T.	80	80	79	79
Canadian Pacific	188¾	188¾	187¼	187¼
C. & O.	58	58	57¼	57½
C. & G. W.	18	.....	.....	18
C., M. & St. P.	181⅝	182	180⅝	180⅝
Colo. South. com	38½	.....	.....	38½
do 1st pfd.	69½	.....	.....	69½
do 2d pfd.	58½	58⅝	58½	58⅝
Del & Hudson	229½	230	228	228
D. & R. G. com	43⅝	43⅝	43¼	4
Duluth S. S. & A.	18⅝	19¼	18⅜	19¼
Erie com	45⅛	45½	44⅞	44⅞
do 1st pfd.	76	.....	.....	76
*Great Nor. pfd.	243	243	234	234
Great Nor Ore	84	84	83	83
Illinois Central	175	.....	.....	175
Interboro Met. com	37⅛	37½	37	37
do pfd.	77	.....	.....	77
K. C. Ft. S. & M. pfd.	80	80½	80	80½
K. C. Southern com	30½	.....	.....	30½
do pfd.	61½	61¾	61	61
L. & N.	146¼	146¾	145	.....
M., S. T. P. & S. M.	145	.....	.....	145
M., K. & T. com	42¼	42⅜	40½	40⅜
do pfd.	73	.....	.....	73
Missouri Pacific	104⅝	104⅝	94	94
N. Y. Central	134⅜	134⅜	133⅛	133⅝
N. Y., O. & W.	49	49⅛	49	49⅛
Northern Pacific	222½	222	218½	219⅝
N. & W.	93¼	.....	.....	93¼
Pennsylvania	139⅝	139⅝	138¾	138¾
Reading com	148	148⅝	147	147⅜
Rock Island com	32¼	32⅜	31⅝	31⅞
do preferred	67½	.....	.....	67½
do 4s	77⅜	.....	.....	77⅜
do 5s	97⅜	.....	.....	97⅜
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	48½	.....	.....	48½
Southern Pacific	95	95	93⅝	94
Southern Ry. com	34⅝	34⅝	34⅜	34⅝
do preferred	94	.....	.....	94
Texas Pacific	37¾	38⅛	37½	37⅞
Twin City	108	108	107½	107½
Union Pacific com	187¼	187¼	186¼	188⅝
Wabash com	20	.....	.....	20
do deb. Bs	79	.....	.....	79
W. & L. E. 2ds	21½	.....	.....	21½

*Ex-dividend.

COTTON.

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 North Fourth street.

The New York opening was: January, 3 up at 10.16c; March, 3 up to 10.32c; May, 1 up at 10.45c; July, 1 up at 10.53c.

Liverpool opened steady at 4½ to 5½ advance. Good demand for spot. Middling, 6 up. Sales, 16,000 bales. At 12:15 Liverpool was steady, net 2 to 2½ higher on near and c higher on late months.

The National Ginners' Association estimates that the amount of cotton ginned to Dec. 1 is 9,859,000 bales. The trade believes the amount ginned to that period is 10,290,000 bales.

The close of Liverpool was 2 to 2½ up, December, 5.68½; January, and February, 5.66½; March and April, 5.64½; May and June, 5.63.

Heavy spot sales are again the feature at Liverpool and spot sales in New Orleans yesterday reached a total of 9000 bales. This is a situation of considerable strength. Shorts were somewhat unsettled yesterday by the change of program in the publication of the Government report next week.

DEATHS.

BLACK—On Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1906, at 5:21 p. m., William J. Black.

Funeral from family residence, 9931 Eugenia street, South St. Louis, Friday, Dec. 7, at 2 p. m.

Monday at Midnight This Stock Increases 100%

Monday, December 10, at Midnight, this stock advances from 5 cents per share to 10 cents per share, par value $1.00, fully paid, non-assessable and carrying no personal liability to shareholders.

It means	$10.00 invested now will be worth	$20.00	by Monday
It means	$20.00 invested now will be worth	$40.00	by Monday
It means	$40.00 invested now will be worth	$80.00	by Monday
It means	$100.00 invested now will be worth	$200.00	by Monday

If you can't call at our office before the raise, wire or mail your reservation, and let remittance follow—but be sure you do so before Monday night.

A Proven Lead and Zinc Mine at Joplin, Experts Say, Will Earn $3,500 Per Week; Should Pay $20.00 in Dividends on Each Share; a Small Investment Now May Make You Independent for Life; $1 Shares Are Selling for A FEW Days at Only 5 Cents; Fully Paid and Non-Assessable. You Are Protected by Having as Your Partners Honest and Well-Known Business Men—Not Stock Jobbers or Promoters. Best Known Banks in the West Vouch for Their Standing. ARRANGEMENTS ARE NOW BEING MADE TO HAVE THIS STOCK LISTED WITH THE VARIOUS MINING EXCHANGES OF THE COUNTRY, AS WELL AS ON THE NEW YORK AND BOSTON CURBS.

Read Every Word of the Details Below:

Buy Before the Advance

NO MAN EVER GOT RICH WITHOUT TAKING A CHANCE.

The sure way to make money in mining stocks is to grasp your opportunity when stocks are low. Take advantage not only of the dividends, but of the various jumps in the market price of your stocks as development work progresses. All the United Standard Lead & Zinc Company wants is money enough to put up mills to concentrate their ore. You must remember that the development work is practically completed, and the minute the mill wheels begin to turn, dividends will be declared. This means that stock you are buying today at 5 cents per share should jump to $1.00.

Latest Report from the Mine

JOPLIN, Mo., Nov. 26, '06.

Messrs. Thomas Davies & Co., Marquette Bldg., Chicago.

Gentlemen:

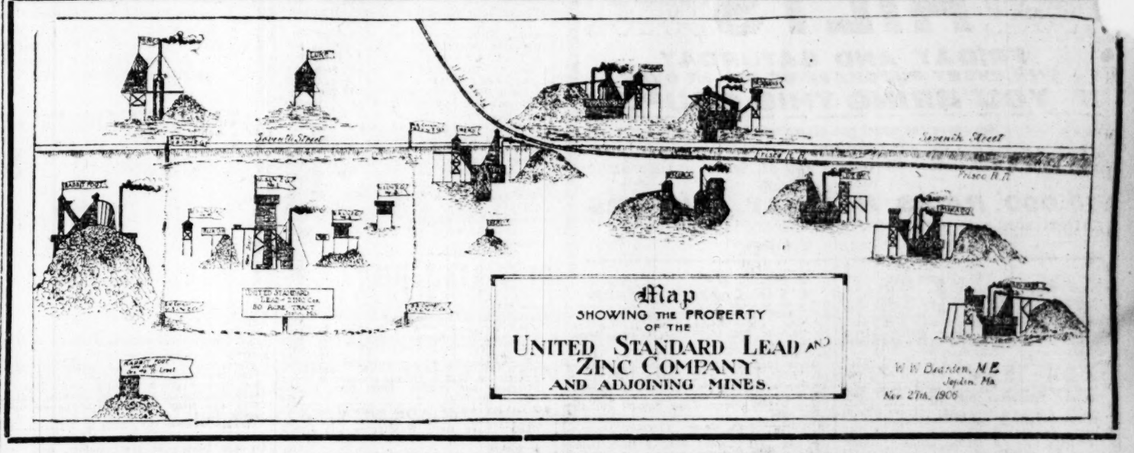
Since making my last report a couple of weeks ago, I have opened up a new face of ore that is the richest we have. This is the fifth face and it is now 18 feet high by 20 feet wide. This drift is getting wider and showing better ore all the time. The ground will run at least 10 per cent high grade zinc ore and getting richer.

Many mines in this district are now running ground that will not run over 3 per cent and 4 per cent and are paying good dividends to the stockholders.

I am more confident every day that we have one of the finest things in the Joplin district, and it is bound to be a great winner when we get mills running.

Yours truly,

J. M. ARGYLE,
Superintendent.



AN ACTUAL MINE—NOT A PROSPECT.

The United Standard Lead and Zinc Company's mine is in the heart of the Joplin lead and zinc fields, the greatest in the world.

On this great property of 50 acres two shafts have been sunk, one to the depth of 85 feet, and the other to the depth of 125 feet. These shafts have been connected by drifting or tunneling, and four drifts show splendid ore faces and ore bodies.

No. 1 shows face 35x20 ft..... 700 sq. ft.
No. 2 shows face 25x20 ft..... 500 sq. ft.
No. 3 shows face 8x15 ft..... 120 sq. ft.
No. 4 shows face 14x30 ft..... 420 sq. ft.
Total area of ore in sight.....1740 sq. ft.

In addition to these great ore bodies the drill records show good ore almost continuously to a depth of 200 feet, a large part of which is very rich.

Official records show that in this district it costs less to mine the ore, returns are safer and surer than in any other mining district in the world.

There are millionaires in Joplin today who were working with a pick and shovel a few years ago. The Joplin district produces about 90 per cent of all the zinc ores produced in the U. S. and about 27 per cent of the entire world's product. The total cash value of zinc and lead mined in this district in the year 1906 was $13,532,125.

BANKERS WILL VOUCH FOR US.

The officers of this Company refer, by permission, to some of the best-known banks in the West.

They want the investors to feel absolutely sure that the money sent in will be used for the purpose of developing the mine. There are no salaried officials.

They have put their own money into the property and have proved it to be rich before asking the public for financial aid to build these mills.

The whole proposition has the right ring of sincerity written all over it.

The men behind the mine are as follows:

WE WANT TO PUT FIVE MILLS ON THIS GREAT PROPERTY—IN A HURRY.

According to the report of Hon. Geo. E. Quinby, mining engineer, who was state mine inspector of Missouri under three governors, this one mine should supply enough ore to run a 200-ton mill, which would give an output of 50 to 70 tons of zinc ore per week. In dollars and cents this would be from $2,250 to $3,150 per week. Deduct $800 for operating expenses and you have left $1,450 to $2,350 week clear net profit. As the mine occupies only about eight acres, or less than one-sixth of the entire tract, it stands to reason that there should be at least four or five mills running on his property. Figured on the same basis, five mills would yield a weekly profit of from $7,250 to $11,750. This would mean a year's net profit of from $377,000 to $611,000 clear and clean above all expenses, or from 12 per cent to 20 per cent on the entire capitalization of the company, which is about $2,000,000.

Such a remarkable record as this would make you rich, would make your stock worth par. Yes, more than par.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS.

L. E. PITTS, Kansas City, Mo., President and Treasurer. Ex-Clerk United States District Court. Personally refers to New England National Bank, Kansas City, Mo.; Western Exchange Bank, Kansas City, Mo.; First National Bank, Jasper, Mo.; Bank of Carthage, Carthage, Mo.

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J. E. PEARSON, Joplin, Mo., Secretary. Former president J. J. Graham (Wholesale) Grocery Co. Now in wholesale cigar business. Personally refers to any Miners' Bank, Joplin.

J. A. AULL, Merchant, Webb City, Mo., Director. Personally refers to any bank in Webb City, Mo.

GEORGE L. BURKHARDT of Columbus Coal Co., Joplin, Mo., Director. Personally refers to any bank of Joplin, Mo.

REFERENCES AS TO PROPERTY.

HON. GEORGE E. QUINBY, Joplin, Mo., State Inspector under three governors, and all who have written the letters in this advertisement.

MINING HAS BUILT MANY GREAT FORTUNES.

Nothing so surely offers large returns as a good mining stock. Probably you do not realize how many people there are who are enjoying a regular income as a result from investing in mining stocks. There are thousands of them, and they are largely those who bought their stock when the opportunity was first offered to secure shares at a low price before the company had begun to pay dividends. Stocks of many mining companies have advanced from a few cents a share to prices ranging from $100 to $1500 a share in value, and besides have paid back to the investors in dividends many hundred times what they first invested. Many of the companies are paying from 100 to 1000 per cent in dividends on the first price of the stock. To grasp this opportunity and purchase stock in the United Standard Lead and Zinc Co. at 5 cents a share means success to you, and that means house, good living, travel, education and social privileges for your children. If you do not grasp this opportunity and secure a good share of wealth you are likely to be classed as a failure. This proposition is in the hands of men whose ability and integrity cannot be questioned, and these men pledge themselves to see that each and every investor in this enterprise receives an equal division of the profits.

READ EXPERT TESTIMONY FROM THE JOPLIN FIELD.

Experts have examined the property, and it is the universal opinion that it has a wonderful future.

"ONE OF THE RICHEST AND MOST PROMISING IN THE DISTRICT."

Joplin, Mo., Sept. 8, '06.

United Lead and Zinc Co., City:

Gentlemen—I am well acquainted with your 50-acre tract two miles west of Joplin. For two years I was superintendent of a mine on an adjoining tract. I have been in your mine 15 or 20 times. You have a fine proposition. There is plenty of rich ore-bearing dirt. I recommended a two hundred ton mill for the two shafts that are now in one and am sure that such a mill would pay big. I am also familiar with different drill holes that have been sunk on different parts of the tract and they all show good ore. The tract is well surrounded with good paying mines. Only about a week ago a hole was drilled on the tract just west of yours and the drill ran through 48 feet of good ore. I consider your tract one of the richest and most promising in the district. I have been mining and managing mines in this district for 25 years.

Yours very truly,
PETER JOHNSON.

"I WANT TO CARRY ALL THE STOCK I CAN."

Joplin, Mo., R. F. D. 4, Box 123.
Joplin, Mo., Sept. 1, 1906.

United Standard Lead and Zinc Co., City:

Gentlemen—I have been working in your mine on the 50-acre tract, two miles west of Joplin, and know all about the different ore faces in both drifts. I think you have a fine proposition. There is plenty of rich ore-bearing dirt for a two hundred ton mill, which should produce from 50 to 75 tons of zinc per week. This would, of course, take only a small part of the fifty acres, and there is plenty of room on this tract for three or four other mills of the same size. The tract has good mines on both sides of it. I consider it one of the best located properties in the district, and, if handled in the right way, will make all kinds of money.

I am a practical miner and have spent a good many years working in different mines in the Joplin district. I also know personally the men connected with your company and know that they know how to run a mine as well as anybody and that they are on the square.

Knowing the property and the people as I do, I want to carry all the stock that I am able to in your company.

Yours truly,
FRANK SHORT.

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If you want to buy in installments send one-half cash with remittance and pay balance in four equal monthly payments, beginning one month from date of first payment.

If you wish further information about this golden opportunity, don't delay a minute longer than necessary, but write us at once, and we will forward you a booklet containing all the facts about this great mining district, about our property, and what some of the greatest mining experts in this country think of it. These facts are most interesting, and will not cost you a cent. This one move may be the stepping stone to your prosperity and wealth. There is one thing sure if you never act when a good proposition is presented to you, or make an effort to at least investigate it, you will never get rich. No one is going to hand you a fortune and force you to take it. Cut out the coupon and mail it today.

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Dr. French says: "It is no more than I expect to hear nearly every man who consults me relate a long story of his having been unsuccessfully treated, but in nine cases out of ten such experience can be attributed to the fault of the afflicted man, for he has had himself under the care of physicians of not sufficient age and experience to be past their experimental practice."

Any man seeking treatment should know that to insure himself of effectual treatment he should employ a specialist of ripe age and long experience.

COME TO SEE ME and note the difference in the way an experienced specialist will treat you, and how soon you can be benefited by the right kind of treatment. If you are skeptical I can refer you to former patients, who will vouch for my conscientious, successful, "Golden Rule" dealings with them.

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BRIDGE COMMITTEE THWARTS CHANGES

Decides Against O'Brien Bill Which Might Remove Its Members.

The Free Bridge Site Committee held its inaugural meeting behind closed doors Wednesday afternoon.

The committee decided not to push the O'Brien Free Bridge Bill, which has already passed the House of Delegates and could in three meetings be put on the statute books. The committee decided instead to introduce its own bill because if the O'Brien bill passed, one of the members of the committee explained, "we should have to be reappointed to the places we now hold and we might not be reappointed."

The entire committee was present at the star-chamber meeting, including Councilmen Lesser, Moellman, and Rolfes and Delegates Connell, Heffernan and Simmons. Lesser was chosen chairman and Connell, secretary.

The committee visited City Counsellor Bates to discuss funds for the expenses of the committee. The City Counsellor suggested that the committee could draw on the contingent fund of both branches of the Assembly. At the request of the committee he drew up a concurrent resolution for raising funds.

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15c Fresh-Caught Sliced Halibut, the lb. 12½c
15c Fresh-Caught large Lake Crappie, the lb. 12½c
12c Fresh-Caught Dressed Buffalo the lb. 8c
20c Fresh-Caught Black Bass, the lb. 17c
10c Fresh-Caught Lake Herring, the lb. 7c
15c Fresh Loggie Smelts, the lb. 12½c
35c Fresh Baltimore Oysters, the can 25c
40c Fresh Live Lobsters, the lb. 30c
25c Smoked Scaled Herring, the box 15c

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FOR HAND-CROCHET SLIPPERS—Finest quality, fleece-lined soles, in assorted colors.

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98c
For Men's Everett Slippers—Vici kid or calf, in black, tan or chocolate; solid leather soles; also novelty colors. Others at $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.

79c
Men's Opera Slippers — Vici kid or velour calf; tan, black and chocolate; also genuine alligator, snake and lizard skins, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.

98c
For Men's Nullifiers—Black, tan or chocolate, vici kid; turned soles; others at $1.29, $1.50 and $2.00.

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For Women's Fur-trimmed Nullifiers—Velvet, plush and felt; red, black, Persian and mixed colors; fleece-lined, others at $1.19 and $1.50.

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HER PUCK IS ONE OF SEASON'S HITS



ANNIE RUSSELL AS PUCK.

Annie Russell's personal success as Puck in the Wagenhals and Kemper production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" has been marvelous, and it is expected that her engagement at the Olympic next week will develop into one of the record-breaking events of the season. She has evoked the most enthusiastic praise from the critics of the East, who pronounce her interpretation of this difficult elfin role in Shakspeare's fairy drama to be among the most delightful creations of the contemporaneous stage. The play itself, from the scenic point of view, is described as a marvel of stage mastery. Among its novelties are the flying fairy ballet, the illusions of dawn, sunrise, midday, dusk and black midnight, the necessities of which compel the carrying of 11 skilled electricians with the company, and other great scenic effects incidental to the story. The production is heralded as having cost $50,000 before the curtain went up on its first performance.

OLD MAN DIES, SEEKING FRIENDS

John Ichtertz, Lonely in Hospital, Advertised Asking Acquaintances to Call.

John Ichteritz, 84 years old, died Wednesday night waiting for the friends of his youth to respond to his pathetic newspaper advertisement asking them to visit him at the Washington University Hospital, Jefferson and Lucas avenues.

He had been there for a week, friendless and alone, but age had not killed his abiding faith in human nature, a too-trusting faith which is responsible for his present isolation.

Surely, he thought, his friends of the old days would come to see him if they only knew where he was. He had lost his fortune of $50,000, made as a building contractor, but that would make no difference.

Most of the money was spent in taking up notes which he had indorsed.

So, to let his friends know where he was, he put an advertisement in the newspapers, a pathetic appeal for company in his little room at the hospital.

Then he waited for his friends of other days to come.

His death was due to old age. He is survived by a son, John M. Ichtertz of 1801A Goode avenue, from whose home the funeral will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday.

POSTOFFICE SAFE BLOWN.

Merchandise Store in Egypt Mills Also Looted.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Dec. 6.—Three robbers blew the safe in the Postoffice at Egypt Mills, 10 miles north of here, Tuesday night, looted the general merchandise store in the same building, dressed themselves in brand new outfits and escaped with $50 in cash and about $150 worth of merchandise.

The village has a German population who have been so badly frightened by robbers lately that when the explosions were heard no one ventured out to investigate the damage.

The tools with which the drilling was done for the nitroglycerine charge were stolen from a nearby sawmill. After the robbery the three men ran south. This is the third time in as many weeks that the store has been entered by burglars.

SHERMAN TO BE "EGYPTIAN."

Lieutenant-Governor to Move to New London.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—News came to town with the Republican State Committee yesterday that Lieut.-Gov. Lawrence Y. Sherman was to become an "Egyptian." It is said that a new home is being erected in New London for the Lieutenant-Governor and that Sherman is going to hie himself thither. It was first thought that he was moving into a territory which is preparing to make a lusty shout for the Republican gubernatorial nomination in 1908.

Chauncey Dewey of the Second Ward was made a member of the Republican State Committee at its meeting at the Grand Pacific Hotel yesterday.

Brinkmeyer Gets Divorce.

John G. Brinkmeyer, former Councilman, was given a divorce Wednesday afternoon by Judge Fisher from Mrs. Mollie Brinkmeyer on grounds of desertion and ill treatment. Mrs. Brinkmeyer is to have the custody of Juliet Elsie Emma Catherine Brinkmeyer, the minor child, and Brinkmeyer is to pay her $25 a month for the support of the child until she is 21 years old and is to have the privilege of having the child Friday, Saturday and Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Brinkmeyer had filed a cross bill, but she did not appear to push it.

Lawton Avenue Sale.

C. M. McDonald, secretary of the Griffin Real Estate Co., has closed the sale of the 10-room residence, 3526 Lawton avenue, with lot 25x128 feet, to M. A. Keene for $4500.

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